

## Fast Return For Japs' Prisoners

OTTAWA (CP)—Surrender of Japan will set in motion plans to reach Canadian survivors of the captured Hongkong garrison and bring them home as speedily as possible, it was learned here today.

Canadian prisoner-of-war authorities have never had a definite check on the number and disposition of Canadian prisoners held by Japan, but it has been estimated that between 400 and 500 are in the Hongkong area and about 1,000 are scattered in prisoner-of-war camps on the main Japanese islands.

## At Least 14 Dead In Detroit Blast

DETROIT (AP)—At least 14 persons were killed a score or more others were injured and an undetermined number were trapped in a two-story building occupied by the Export Box & Sealer Company following an explosion and fire this afternoon.

A coroner's office attaché said definitely that 14 persons had been killed, adding that others probably were dead inside the structure.

Six bodies were found on the sidewalk outside the building, a seventh was found on a window sill and the others were taken from the building.

## Ending Contracts Will Take Time

OTTAWA (CP)—Munitions Minister Howe said this afternoon that as soon as Japan's surrender becomes official all direct war contracts will be cancelled but not in one day.

Mr. Howe said the end of the war would bring a speeding up in reconversion plans which already are fairly well advanced.

## Wage Appeal Out

OTTAWA (CP)—The National War Labor Board in a decision today dismissed the appeal of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, Local 690 (C.I.O.) against an Alberta Regional Board's decision refusing its application for wage increases for four occupational classifications in the plant of the Alberta Nitrogen Products Ltd. at Calgary. In another classification the board redirected the case to the regional board.

The union submitted that rates for laborers, janitors, warehousemen, truck drivers and caterpillar tractor operators, should compare with rates paid by chemical plants at Trail, B.C., and Niagara Falls, Ont.

## 500 Join Strike

KITCHENER, Ont. (CP)—The strike at the Dominion Rubber Company plant here spread today to involve 500 additional employees who returned from holidays and joined the 700 workers already away from work. The entire staff now is on strike.

Original strike action was taken July 28 over a maintenance department pay dispute.

Alfred Mustin, president of Local 67 of the union, said at the week-end it was possible 700 employees of the Merchant Rubber Company would strike in sympathy.

## Public Utilities Hearing Aug. 21

The public hearing of the Public Utilities Commission to consider who is to operate the Fairfield-Gonzales bus line, B.C. Electric or Blue Line, will be held at the Courthouse, Tuesday, Aug. 21, at 10, Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the commission, announced today.

At the same time the Blue Line application for an extension of their Oak Bay line will be considered, Dr. Carrothers said.

Commissioners sitting will be Dr. Carrothers and L. W. Patmore. J. C. Macdonald, third member, is out of town.

Following the hearing, the decision of the commission will be handed to the cabinet which must ratify it before it becomes effective.

## Trans-Baikal Army Closer to Harbin

LONDON (CP)—Marshal Rodion Malinovsky's trans-Baikal army driving through the Great Khingan range into Manchuria from the northwest has captured Maituho, on the Chinese Eastern Railway, 350 miles from Harbin in another strong advance, the Soviet communique announced tonight.

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# Allied Forces Proceed With Fighting

## Russian Drive May Break Out Toward Mukden

By EDDY GILMORE  
MOSCOW (AP)—Southern wing of a powerful Russian drive into the Manchurian plain threatened today to break out in the direction of Mukden and reach numerous Japanese prisoner-of-war camps filled with U.S., British and British Empire troops.

While one Red Army force followed up its landings on the Korean mainland by pushing down the coastal highway there, the two big army groups of Marshals Rodion Y. Malinovsky and Karil A. Meretskov opened the battle for the Manchurian plain, which leads to the arsenal city of Harbin.

Malinovsky's tanks, well across the Khingan Range, west of Harbin, poured down the eastern slopes, hurling the Japanese back into the plain where a defence will be much more difficult than in the rugged mountains. Military observers predicted Malinovsky would advance swiftly on the plain, soon bringing the battle to Harbin's western gate.

His southern wing was driving southeastward toward Mukden and the prison camps, while his other columns surged straight down the railway for Harbin.

(Tokyo broadcast a Japanese communique as saying the Red Army advance in Korea had drawn to a halt after the original invasion.

The broadcast said the Japanese air force Sunday pounded Russian motorized units moving southward from outer Mongolia, scoring good results, according to a Kwantung army bulletin. Six Soviet heavy artillery pieces were destroyed, 25 others knocked out of commission and two motor lorries were set afire, the enemy communique said.)

## NINAN MENACED

Meretskov's 1st Far Eastern Army advanced on Harbin from the east, menacing the big junction of Ninan from the north and south and at the same time threatening to by-pass it to the north. Botank airfield to the northeast was neutralized, and to the south and southeast to Ninan another wing of the Soviet forces moved in the direction of the Korean frontier.

Other Russians already had begun the battle of Korea with capture of the vital coastal ports of Yuki and Rashin. Two waves of marine landing forces moved south from Rashin, went through Sindh and advanced on the port of Seishin, 33 miles away, a junction for the coastal railway.

The Japanese appeared unable to hold the Red Army at any point.

Meanwhile, Tokyo reported a vast new Soviet offensive in Manchuria which threatened to cut off possibly 500,000 Japanese troops in China and split an estimated 1,500,000 enemy soldiers on the Asiatic mainland into two massive pockets.

The Moscow communique did not confirm the Japanese report but it announced the successful drive on Rashin and Yuki.

(Tokyo radio, heard by U.S. Federal Communications Commission, reported sea-borne Soviet troops had begun landings on the southern part of disputed Sakhalin Island. Tokyo previously has reported an invasion of the territory.)

## MAKE 2 LANDINGS

(The Dornier dispatch said the landings were underway at Anbestu and Esutrou, the latter about 60 miles south of the border on the west coast. Anbestu is just across the Soviet-Japanese border.

(A Dornier dispatch, recorded in New York by the Federal Communications Commission, said the Russians also had penetrated 20 miles into the Japanese half of the island in their land invasion from the border and had reached the village of Ketou.)

Rashin, a great Japanese naval base just 35 miles from the Russian naval anchorage of Poset, south of Vladivostok, was the best enemy port in Korea. From Rashin and Yuki, 10 miles farther northeast, the Japanese had shipped the vast war production of Manchuria's industries to the homeland.

## U.S. and Russian Chiefs of Staff Confer



American and Russian Chiefs of Staff met in the Conference Palace at Potsdam, where discussions of Allied moves against Japan took place. Included in the group were: Gen. Antonov (seated in large chair, centre rear), Chief of Russian military staff; Gen. of Army G. C. Marshall, right, Gen. of Army H. H. Arnold, at right of Marshall, and Fleet Admiral F. J. King, at left of Marshall.

## Greater Victoria Transportation Bid By B.C.E.R.

Possibility of the B.C. Electric Railway Company making a bid to take over all existing transportation routes in the Greater Victoria area in order to present a plan for a unified public carrier system, was reported today.

Company officials would make no statement on the report.

Mayor Percy George when questioned on the matter stated that he had nothing official on it.

Ald. T. W. Hawkins, chairman of the City Council's transportation committee, said he knew nothing of any proposals by any company. He said a meeting of the Greater Victoria transportation committee had been called for 2.30 Tuesday afternoon.

"The meeting is for the purpose of discussing a unified transportation for Victoria; with the war over we should get to work on the problem immediately," Ald. Hawkins said.

With hearings by the Public Utilities Commission on the application of the B.C. Electric to operate its new Fairfield-Gonzales route and the Blue Line application to extend its Oak Bay coverage scheduled within the next few days it is realized plans for Victoria's post war transportation set-up were approaching the climatic stage.

At present routes within the Greater Victoria are operated by the B.C. Electric, the Vancouver Island Coach Lines and the Blue Line Transit Company.

It is no secret that civic officials are in favor of a unified plan under which transfer privileges would obtain throughout the city and duplication of fares would be eliminated.

## King to Broadcast

LONDON (Reuter) — It was officially announced today that the King will broadcast on the evening of V-J Day.



MAY LEAD RUSS—Red Army Gen. Maxim Purkayev, above, is reported one of the top leaders of Soviet Far Eastern troops now fighting the Japs in Manchuria. He was Soviet military attaché in Berlin when the European war broke out in 1939.



Russian forces crossed the Manchurian border at three points indicated on map within minutes after Russia's declaration of war. Japan's Manchurian army headquarters are at Hsinking.

## Western Hemisphere Getting Over Premature End-of-War Hangover

By Canadian Press  
The western world today suffered something in the nature of a premature end-of-the-war hangover.

Premature victory celebrations, springing from radio broadcast of an erroneous United Press news flash that Japan had accepted Allied surrender terms, swept across the United States and Canada Sunday and awoke briefly jubilant echoes in Central America and faraway Sydney, Australia.

The Canadian celebration was intensified by premature release of a record victory broadcast by Prime Minister King from Ottawa.

The United Press Association (United Press) said the flash moved over one of its wires at 6.33 p.m., P.D.T. The flash was ordered withheld from publication at 6.36 p.m. and was killed at 6.40 p.m.

The U.P. described the flash as of mysterious origin and said that while it moved under a Washington dateline, it "was not transmitted by the Washington bureau of the United Press."

Hugh Baillie, United Press president, offered \$5,000 reward for information leading to the identification and conviction of the person who transmitted the false flash.

F.B.I. ASKED TO INVESTIGATE  
The U.P. told its subscribers that the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Federal Communications Commission had been asked to ascertain who had "cut in on the U.P. wire to disseminate false information."

Although the long-awaited report of the war's end was killed quickly by U.P. and the major radio networks which had cut into their regular programs to carry it, the message: "Flash—Washington—Japan accepts surrender terms of Allies" inaugurated hilarious celebrations that lasted for an hour or more in some cities.

A White House denial—Japan's surrender had been received, following the U.P. kill, by about an hour, finally dimmed the enthusiasm of victory-greeters.

In the short interval between the false flash and its final denial, bedlam had its heyday. In Washington, D.C., a cheering throng surged around the White House, but, dispersed quietly on denial of the surrender report.

A philanthropic barkeeper in Battle Creek, Mich., had poured out \$32 worth of drinks on the house before he learned there was no occasion for it.

The Waterbury, Conn., Democrat and the Vancouver, B.C. Sun issued extras. Revellers snaked, exploded fireworks and built bonfires in the streets of several cities.

## Fleet Altered For Sneak Blow By Jap Planes

GUAM (AP)—Admiral Halsey's powerful 3rd Fleet guarded against a possible banzai attack by the Japanese air force today as his carrier planes blasted the Yokohama docks and submarine pens after being turned back by heavy weather from the Tokyo area.

Associated Press war correspondent Richard K. O'Malley with the fleet reported six enemy planes, attempting sneak attacks, were shot down by carrier planes.

(A Tokyo broadcast, recorded by the U.S. Federal Communications Commission, admitted some damage was caused by 800 carrier-based planes attacking the Kanto district of east central Honshu. The attack, the Japanese said, lasted 12 hours and 17 planes were shot down and 25 damaged.)

Possibility of a Japanese aerial banzai assault against the fleet was voiced by some officers, O'Malley said, because of persistent attempts by reconnaissance planes to locate the U.S. force.

## DOCKS, SUB PENS HIT

Turned back by heavy weather at Tokyo, the carrier planes picked targets of opportunity. The Yokohama docks and submarines in pens at Shimoda to the south along Sagami Bay, were hit hard.

Numerous merchant vessels and luggers were attacked. Returning fliers said the only two airfields inland on Honshu not shrouded by fog were Kiryu and Nagano. These were worked over with early estimates listing scores of planes destroyed or damaged on the ground.

Returning pilots said the enemy offered no airborne opposition over the targets, and one group flew over three fields without drawing anti-aircraft fire.

Far East air force squadrons also continued their daily assaults on Japan. No details were given.

Radioed dispatches from Admiral Halsey's flagship said more than 1,000 British and U.S. pilots were participating, and despite rough, rainy weather the Tokyo radio counted 800 sorties by the fighters, blasting bombers and fighters before 10 a.m. Tokyo time. The broadcast said eight were shot down and 16 damaged.

## BIG WARSHIPS DAMAGED

A Japanese torpedo plane was shot down near the vast fleet early this morning, and Admiral Nimitz announced another had torpedoed and damaged a major war vessel at Okinawa Sunday night.

(Norman Paige, in an American Broadcasting Co. report from the 3rd Fleet, said the damaged unit was a battleship.)

Spencer Davis, Associated Press war correspondent, reported from Okinawa that the major fleet unit attacked in the island's Buckner Bay suffered only minor damage.

Both Admirals Nimitz and Halsey had maintained a tense alert against possible Japanese treachery during the two-day naval lull ended by this morning's smashing attack.

Admiral Halsey's pilots Thursday and Friday had destroyed or damaged 711 enemy planes and 94 surface craft—in addition to their July toll of more than 1,000 vessels and nearly 1,300 aircraft destroyed or damaged.

There was no hull in Far East air forces assaults. More than 400 bombers and fighters hounded Hyokshu Saturday, sinking or damaging 31 enemy vessels and small craft and leaving the rubber manufacturing centre of Kurume a hollow, flaming ruin, pilots related.

B-29s resumed attacks after only a one-day respite, striking Sunday with a 70-plane blow at industrial Matsuyama on Shikoku, the enemy radio reported.

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## Nimitz Invites Japs to Contact Guam By Radio

By ASTLEY HAWKINS

ABOARD A BRITISH BATTLESHIP OFF TOKYO  
(Reuter)—Fleet Admiral Nimitz, commander of the United States Pacific fleet who now is aboard this British warship, has invited the Japanese to make contact with the Guam (navy) radio if they need means of communication with the Allies.

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Allies tightened their stranglehold on Japan today while Tokyo struggled to decide whether to surrender now or continue a suicidal war.

The White House announced that no reply had been received at noon P.D.T. to Saturday's dictate by the United States, Britain, Russia and China that Japan could retain an Emperor for the present, but that he must take his orders from the Allied Supreme Commander.

Presidential Secretary Charles E. Ross told reporters that "at 3 o'clock there has still been no word" from the Japanese.

No time limit was set by the Allies for a Japanese response, Mr. Ross said. Nor did he know, he said, whether there might be another ultimatum.

A Tokyo radio broadcast said the formal reply to Japan's conditional surrender offer of Friday was not received until this morning.

Emperor Hirohito received Japanese Foreign Minister Togo at the Imperial Palace this morning, another enemy broadcast said, but no details as to its purpose were given.

Still another broadcast indicated the Japanese were suffering invasion jitters. Dornier agency quoted "military observers" as viewing renewed Allied carrier plane attacks and fleet operations off the coast as presaging a possible enemy landing.

At both the White House and State Department there was obvious disappointment that the Japanese had not responded Sunday with a statement accepting Saturday's note clarifying the post-surrender status of the Emperor.

President Truman and State Secretary Byrnes were on the job early and late, and an air of expectancy was reflected by their associates. The White House perfected plans for the actual signing of surrender terms.

Charles G. Ross, presidential secretary, said the arrangements might take two or three days after the enemy accepts. But if a Japanese agreement to surrender is forthcoming promptly, V-J Day still might be proclaimed in mid-week.

Mr. Ross said the President would not make the proclamation until after the signing, however.

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### Fire Guts Building As Firemen Argue

WINNIPEG (CP)—Firemen from Winnipeg and St. Boniface Sunday night argued a boundary dispute as fire destroyed a 200-foot-long brick kiln at the Alsip Brick Company plant.

Winnipeg firemen said the yard was in St. Boniface. St. Boniface firemen said it was Winnipeg territory.

"As far as we are concerned, the yard is in St. Boniface," said District Chief Mark Barr of Winnipeg.

Finally, both departments fought the fire, but the kiln shed was destroyed at the estimated loss of \$8,000.

Col. R. G. Graham, manager, said the plant was 14 feet within the boundary of Winnipeg.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

A special meeting of Langford ratepayers will be held at Langford School, at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 21. Subject to discuss: The establishment of home economics at Langford School.

A united V-J Service will be held in First United Church at 8 p.m., on day declaration of peace is received, if it should arrive before 5 p.m. The service will be held under auspices Victoria Ministerial Association. Dr. Willard Brewster will be the guest speaker. In the event news coming after 5 p.m., service will be held night of V-J Day.

Dr. F. J. Cheney, Dentist, announces the opening of his office at 46 Arcade Building, 1122 Broad. E 2548.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, announces a Special Thanksgiving Service on V-J Day in the church edifice at 11 a.m., unless V-J Day fall on Wednesday or Sunday, when an appropriate message will be read at the regular service.

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Offices of Dr. A. McCarter, 514 Central Bldg., will be closed from Aug. 11 to Sept. 3.

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The monthly general meeting of the Naval Veterans' Branch, No. 42, Canadian Legion, will be held in the branch club rooms, Friday, Aug. 17, at 8 p.m. A full attendance of members is requested.

Women's Auxiliary of Royal Jubilee Hospital Garden Tea and Fur Fashion Show at residence of R. W. Mayhew, 3125 Beach Drive, August 23, 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. Adults 50c. Including tea; children, 10c.

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## Jurors Threatened With Death If Petain Condemned

PARIS (AP)—Jurors hearing final defence pleas in the treason trial of Marshal Petain disclosed today that nearly all 24 of them had again received letters threatening death to any who voted to condemn the aged soldier.

Some said they had received as many as 12 threatening letters. Pierre Bloch, a parliamentary juror, said one letter he received ended with "Death to Jews," and another said "Beware, I am sitting just a few feet from you in the courtroom."

White-haired Fernand Payen, chief defence counsel, opened the supreme attempt to save the 86-year-old head of the former Vichy government from a firing squad with these words:

"Petain is one of France's most glorious sons. It is very unlike our country to be trying such a man. Petain wears a crown of glory that you wish to take from him."

Payen read a testimonial written to Petain by Gen. John J. Pershing, U.S. expeditionary force commander in the First Great War, after the Germans were beaten 25 years ago.

The lawyer traced the Marshal's career and said: "He has never shown anything but loyalty to the republic during his long years of service."

### HELPED PROSECUTION

Marshal Petain's counsel charged the court had given the prosecution advantages.

M. Payen said all of Marshal Petain's private papers had been seized and that defence counsel were not permitted to examine them. He charged, moreover, that safe conduct had been refused for some witnesses.

For half an hour, M. Payen spoke of the marshal's military victories and read testimonials from Clemenceau and other great French personalities of the past.

"When did Marshal Petain plot against the republic?" M. Payen asked. "While he was walking in his little garden? While sitting beside his hearth?"

The marshal is charged with intelligence with the enemy and with plotting against the security of France. He is the first French chief of state to face trial since Louis XVI. The state demanded death in its summation Saturday.

### TOO OLD, SAYS DEFENCE

M. Payen said Marshal Petain "did not return to France to save his head," but was interested only in saving his honor.

"Take his head if you want it," the lawyer told the jury. "I give it to you."

His voice rang with mockery. Once he burst into laughter and said:

"They accuse Marshal Petain of having become politically ambitious in 1935 and 1936. At the age of 80, he is suddenly seized with political ambition. And at 84, he suddenly becomes a traitor, selling his country to the enemy he had always fought."

M. Payen declared Marshal Petain was being used by French politicians to hide their own incompetence.

The defence's rebuttal to prosecutor Mornet's heated demand Saturday for the death penalty is scheduled to continue throughout Tuesday. Then the jury will retire for deliberation.

## New Oregon Blaze Still Uncontrolled

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—More than 150 fire fighters and several bulldozers worked today to lay trails around the 900-acre Cedar Creek blaze in Warm Springs Indian Reservation, still out of control.

Crews had checked other fires in the reservation. Patrols kept a wary eye on the 3,500-acre Sitwilder Butte and the Mill Creek Canyon fires, smoldering behind fire lines. A 90-acre flareup which threatened the Sinnasho Indian school was being mopped up.

Low humidity hampered fire fighting operations in the reservation. A mist which hung over Portland Sunday did not reach to the fire areas.

### Oregon Yards Expect Work Until Year's End

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Shipbuilders said today work on vessels now on the ways, repairs and special peacetime building and conversion would keep payrolls busy until the end of the year.

Cancellation of contracts for eight CVE-105 type escort carriers at the Kaiser Vancouver yard was the first major setback in this area under the navy's curtailment program.

The only yard not likely to be hard hit by V.D. cutbacks is Albina Engine and Machine Works, now building four lumber cargo ships for postwar coastwise trade and 20 smaller island vessels for the Netherlands East Indies government.

## Hiroshima—A Jap City That Was



This picture of Hiroshima, the first Japanese city to feel the force of the atomic bomb, was made by a reconnaissance plane before the atomic bomb was dropped. The army has now released this photo with a key indicating the extent of the bomb damage. The darkened area within the circle indicates the total area devastated by the atomic weapon. The white dot in the center of the circle indicates the aiming point. Here is the army's estimate of damage done, based on photographs made after the raid, which as yet have not been released for publication:

1—Army Transport Base, 25 per cent damaged.

2—Army Ordnance Depot, damage unknown.

3—Army Food Depot, 35 per cent damaged.

4—Army Clothing Depot, 85 per cent damaged.

5—Railroad station, 30 per cent damaged.

6—Unidentified Industry, 90 per cent destroyed.

7—Sumitomo Rayon Plant, 25 per cent damaged.

8—Kinkwa Rayon Mill, 10 per cent destroyed.

9—Teikoku Textile Mill, completely destroyed.

10—Power Plant, damage unknown.

11—Oil Storage Plant, still burning when photos were made.

12—Electric Railway Power Plant, completely destroyed.

13—Electric Power Generator, completely destroyed.

14—Telephone Company, completely destroyed.

15—Gas Works, completely destroyed.

16—Railroad Station, completely destroyed.

17—Railroad Station, completely destroyed.

18—Bridge, debris loaded, intact.

19—Bridge, one-fourth missing.

20—Large Bridge, shattered.

21—Bridge, large hole in its west side.

22—Bridge, intact, banks caved in.

23—Bridge, intact, debris-loaded.

24—Two bridges, intact.

25—Bridge, completely destroyed.

26—Bridge, severely damaged.

27—Bridge, shattered, out of operation.

28—Bridge, intact, slightly damaged.

29—Bridge, intact, severely damaged.

## Heavy Water Made In Trail to Control Atomic Bomb Energy

OTTAWA (CP)—The United States is the only country which knows all the details of the atomic bomb, but the information would be made available to Canada and Britain if they should ask for it, Munitions Minister Howe said today.

He disclosed that heavy water, used in the making of the bomb, was manufactured in Trail, B.C. The water, containing double the amount of hydrogen that is in ordinary water, is used to control the release of energy in the bomb.

(See Page 3 for other stories on atomic bombs.)

While Canada made essential parts of the bomb, the Canadian government, for reasons of security, decided not to ask for complete details of the bomb, and the United Kingdom followed a similar course, said Mr. Howe.

At the press conference with Mr. Howe were Dr. C. J. Mackenzie, president of Cambridge University in England and now director of the National Research Council laboratory in Montreal; Dr. G. C. Laurence of the National Research Council in Ottawa, and Dr. N. Kemmer, formerly of London and Cambridge universities, and now attached to the research council's Montreal laboratory.

These men were among the many scientists who worked on the development of atomic energy in Canada.

"We haven't asked for details of the bomb," said Mr. Howe. "If we had needed them we would have asked for them and we would have got them. It is a good thing not to have too much information at times."

### STUDY PEACETIME USES

All information about the possible industrial and peacetime uses of atomic energy were being exchanged between the United States, Canada and Britain.

Dr. Mackenzie said the secret of the bomb was one of the best kept of the war. Only a few men knew all the details. Scientists in Canada worked on one part, scientists in Chicago worked on another part, scientists in Britain on another part and scientists in California on still another. The scientists were not allowed to travel from one plant to another to see what progress was being made. This was done in the interests of security.

Canada's part was concerned with the manufacture of essential parts of the bomb. Uranium concentrates from the Great Bear Lake area were brought to Port Hope, Ont., and processed there. The processed material went to the research laboratories.

No peacetime application of atomic energy had yet been attempted, but research was going forward.

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### Plan to Deactivate Southeast Asia Command

KANDY, Ceylon (CP)—Plans for deactivating this theatre have been formulated at New Delhi headquarters, it was learned here today. An urgent meeting was presided over by Lt.-Gen. Raymond A. Wheeler, who is acting as supreme commander in the absence of Admiral Lord Mountbatten.

It appeared likely British Imperial troops would undertake custody of at least part of the

Netherlands East Indies until national forces can be assembled to back up civil affairs administrators, who will accompany the British troops.

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Col. Paul W. Tibbets Jr., of Miami, Fla., standing, pilot of the B-29 which dropped the first atomic bomb on Japan, tells of his experience at a press conference at U.S. Army Strategic Air Force headquarters on Guam. Listening to his report are, left to right: Brig.-Gen. Thomas F. Farrell, Rear Admiral William R. Purnell, Gen. Carl Spaatz, and Maj.-Gen. Curtis E. LeMay. Tibbets was presented with the D.S.C. as he landed after the mission was completed.



Maj. Thomas W. Ferebee, Mockville, N.C., was bombardier on the Superfort which bombed Hiroshima. He was one of three crew members who had advance knowledge of the bomber's historic mission.



### R.C.N.V.R. Chief in West

WINNIPEG (CP)—Cmdr. Jeffrey V. Brock, commanding officer of H.M.C.S. Chippewa here, has been appointed senior officer, western naval divisions, with jurisdiction over R.C.N.V.R. units from Port Arthur, Ont., to the Pacific Coast, it was announced here today.

Col. Tibbets was one of three crew members who knew of the bomber's mission. His plane was named Enola Gay, in honor of his mother.

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#### Winnipeg Man Drowns

WINNIPEG (CP)—Edward C. Gabriel, 20, of Winnipeg, drowned late Sunday in the Red River near Elmwood Park. He was believed to have suffered a cramp while swimming across the river.

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# Atom Bomb Experts Gambled on New Element Plutonium

## Scientists Made Tiny Quantities Of Two New Chemical Elements

WASHINGTON (AP)—Scientists produced two new elements in making the atomic bomb and gambled on their knowledge of less than a milligram of one of them to help make the missile an enemy city-smashing success.

The two new elements are neptunium, No. 93 and plutonium, No. 94, which have been added to the previously known 92 elements of varieties of matter. The two are derived from uranium.

Production of the new elements was disclosed in a 160-page scientific review, released by the War Department, of experiments leading up to final production of the atomic bombs loosed on Japan. Many of the details still are clouded in military secrecy.

The element plutonium is so rare that at the end of 1942 only 500 micrograms of pure plutonium salts had been produced. And that is just a little less, the army estimated, than would be needed to make the head of a pin. (A milligram is one-thousandth of a gram and a microgram is one millionth.)

And it was on the knowledge of plutonium "gleaned from less than a milligram" of it that the government decided to go ahead with a plant in Washington State for the production and separation on a large scale of the metal which can be used to explode the atomic bomb.

Both plutonium and U-235, another uranium product, can be utilized to effect the explosion.

Although the Army didn't exactly explain what makes the bomb work, plutonium provides one of the keys that unlock the most powerful force ever released.

And it was to make this potent stuff that a huge plant was built at Hanford, Wash.

Scientists knew that U-235 is

unstable enough to make an ideal atomic bomb. But by its weight it's less than one per cent of uranium, which in itself is difficult to obtain, hence its mass production is an unsuperable task.

But it was suggested that the new wonder element, plutonium might be just as good as the pure U-235. It was—and it can now be obtained in appreciable amounts.

Greatly simplified, here is the way the new element is obtained. A chain reaction is started, involving natural uranium.

In the fission, or breaking down of U-235, neutrons are given off. Some of these are absorbed by U-238. This becomes U-239. (In case you're getting lost, that's still uranium.)

U-239 emits a beta particle, and becomes neptunium, the 93rd element. Neptunium, in turn, emits another beta particle, and becomes plutonium. If, too, has an atomic number 239.

If left to its own devices, it would slowly give off an alpha particle and turn again into U-235. But this is so slow that in effect plutonium is a stable element.

#### Country Fair

A country fair under the auspices of the Langford Women's Institute will be held in their hall and grounds Aug. 22. Many attractions are planned including home cooking stall, bingo, contests, ice cream, afternoon tea. The program includes flower, fruit, vegetables, bottled fruit and jam exhibits, home cooking and children's exhibits. A garden competition for residents of Langford for three years or less, will also be held. Leaflets may be obtained from the president, Miss L. M. A. Savory or Mrs. R. Crocker, Langford Lake.

## Havoc-Wreaking Bomb Made Here



General view of plant near Knoxville, Tenn., where scientists worked two years perfecting atomic bomb.

## 11 British Columbia Scientists Helped Harness Atomic Energy



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OTTAWA (CP)—Largest and most distinguished group of Canadian scientists ever assembled for a single investigation in any British country worked in Canada on the experimental and development work of the atomic energy, government officials have disclosed.

The scientists, whose research helped in the development of the atomic bomb, worked in National Research Council laboratories and in Canadian universities. The list was headed by Dr. C. J. MacKenzie, director of the National Research Council, and Dr. J. D. Cockcroft, formerly of Cambridge University, Eng., now director of National Research Council's Montreal laboratory.

Included in the list were 11 B.C. scientists whose names follow: Prof. G. M. Volkoff, University of British Columbia, Vancouver; J. M. G. Fell, U.B.C., University of California, Vancouver; Dr. F. T. Ditch, U.B.C., Vancouver; Mrs. L. M. Grassie, U.B.C., Arden, Man.; Mrs. J. Laird, U.B.C., Peiterton; J. W. Ozeroff, U.B.C., Shore Acres, B.C.; Miss A. Underhill, U.B.C., Toronto University, Vancouver; Dr. Muriel Wales, U.B.C., University of Toronto, Vancouver; Dr. F. T. Fitch, Purdue University, Vancouver; J. R. Mills, Victoria University, Manchester, Trail, B.C.; C. H. Simpkinson, Queen's University, Trail, B.C.

## Would Give Bomb To World Council

OTTAWA (CP)—The atomic bomb should be placed under the control and supervision of the United Nations' Security Council in the interests of world peace, M. J. Coldwell, national C.C.F. leader, said Saturday.

Mr. Coldwell said discovery of the bomb gave man power "to usher in a new age of plenty or to destroy himself and his civilization."

"Russians, Swedes, Danes and Germans have been working on the use of atomic energy, as well as the Americans, British and Canadians," he said. "Its discovery cannot remain the property of any one nation or group of nations. In the interests of world peace and good will it should immediately be placed under the control and supervision of the Security Council of the United Nations."

## Disposal of Forces For Pacific to Pose Problem in Canada

By JACK BRAYLEY  
Canadian Press Staff Writer  
OTTAWA (CP)—The ending of the Pacific war—should Japan accept the Allied surrender terms—will pose for Canadian military planners the problem of what disposition should be made of naval, army and air forces now preparing for that conflict.

Before giving orders on the disposition of these forces, the military chiefs are expected to await word from the Supreme Pacific command on whether Canadian forces will assume any role in the security force which will occupy the Japanese homeland.

With the war apparently approaching its end, a navy force of approximately 22,000 men for the 60-ship Pacific fleet is concentrating at the west coast, a military force of 30,000 men is grouping at Debert, N.S., Barrie, Ont., and Shilo, Man., and an air force of about 17,000 men for 11 squadrons is preparing at Eastern Air Command bases.

Canada already has been represented in the Pacific fighting. There are Canadian naval personnel serving with Royal Navy fighting ships and carriers. About 1,000 Canadian technicians and observers are serving with Allied armies while larger numbers of R.C.A.F. men are serving with the R.A.F. in Burma and India.

It is conceded possible that some of these navy and air force personnel might be assigned to occupational duty and perhaps will be reinforced by navy and air units which might be sent from Canada.

Meanwhile if the Japanese do surrender, it is considered likely an army instructional cadre of 1,000 men who have gone as an advance guard to Camp Breckinridge in Kentucky will be moved back to Canada within the next few days.

The cruiser Uganda which has just returned from Pacific action to Esquimaux would likely be retained on the Pacific coast for some time unless the Royal Navy asked for her services as part of the security force destined to patrol Japanese waters. The chief military and air

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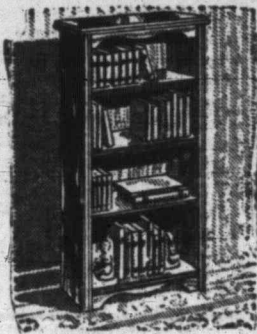
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## EXASPERATING DELAY

MORE THAN THREE DAYS HAVE elapsed since Japan announced to the world that she would accept the terms laid down in the Declaration of Potsdam which, to all intents and purposes, meant unconditional surrender in conformity with the Casablanca dictum. But the war lords of Tokyo added a condition of their own—a demand for the preservation of the prerogatives of the Emperor. Desiring to facilitate the negotiations, the "Big Four" acquiesced, but added the stipulation that Hirohito should immediately ensure complete capitulation of all the Japanese forces, release all prisoners of war, and then take his instructions from the supreme commander of the Allied nations.

The Anglo-American-Russian-Chinese reply to the Japanese offer, of course, contained the basic terms with respect to the occupation of the island kingdom and the categorical condition that, at a subsequent date, the Mikado's subjects would be allowed to determine the kind of government they preferred by means of a free election in the democratic manner. Two days have elapsed since the reply containing these specified conditions was entrusted to the Swiss and Swedish governments for transmission to Tokyo.

It is now Tuesday afternoon in Japan and, as this is written, the Allied world still awaits a reply—acceptance or rejection. Just what is the cause of delay, whether it is another example of Nipponese trickery or a turbulent condition between the men who pull the strings at the imperial palace and Hirohito himself, may be clarified before this is read. In the meantime, however, the peace celebrations which seemed so near last Saturday morning have given place to renewed fighting with all the vigor and intensity of which the Allies are capable.

Russian land, air and naval forces are standing on no ceremony. British, American, and Australian forces are at it hammer and tongs. And if the defeated and sadly-disillusioned Nipponese war lords expect to gain anything by further procrastination, it will be apparent that their knowledge of Allied psychology is utterly lacking. The obvious state of exasperation and anger in which the public of the free world finds itself at the moment is the kind of temper which may express itself in a demand for a shower of atomic bombs—with Tokyo the main target.

## SO FAR, SO GOOD

UNTIL THE NINE PREMIERS AND their respective staffs have returned to their capitals and studied in detail the Dominion's proposals on national reconstruction it would be entirely gratuitous to speculate on what the final outcome will be after the conference has finished its deliberations next November. It was, however, gratifying to note—in contrast with the abortive gathering in 1941—that harmony prevailed throughout last week's proceedings. Although the federal brief contained numerous ideas on the future relationships between the provinces and the Dominion, some of which eventually will have to be adopted to meet the demands of postwar financing, it will be far from a simple matter to adapt differing provincial conditions into a more or less general pattern. And the fact that the initial five-day meeting took on an exploratory character suggests that Mr. Mackenzie King and his ministerial colleagues are fully aware of the major difficulties ahead.

To the general warning that "all the people will be poorer and the country itself will be weaker," the Prime Minister added that "if we should permit it (the conference on its resumption) to fail, the richest provinces, as well as the less favored ones, will assuredly suffer." It would be foolish to read into this statement anything in the nature of an ultimatum. Nor is it to be supposed that any of the nine Premiers is less concerned about the future of Dominion-Provincial relations than Mr. King himself. Between now and November, therefore, it is imperative that more emphasis be placed on the points of agreement—what the national interests demand—than upon those sectional differences, important though many of them are, upon which the conference of 1941 came to such an ignominious end. All the matters discussed at Ottawa last week are and will remain of special concern to all Canadians. An agreement is essential to the future economic and social progress of the whole.

## NEW RESPONSIBILITIES

THE GIGANTIC TASK WHICH FACES the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration—a task fully appreciated by Hon. L. B. Pearson, Canadian Ambassador to the United States and chairman of the meeting of UNRRA in Montreal a little less than one year ago—brings to the new honors Canada has received as a member of its central governing committee new responsibilities of major proportions. As

one of the large food-producing countries, this nation, since the inception of the organization, has been considered a member whose contributions would assume vital importance. In those preparations made for the operation of the organization, Mr. Pearson has played an important role. The recognition of those two points may be considered determining factors in the administration's decision to include the Dominion as the first of the smaller nations represented on this high body. The action may, also, reflect the swing away from complete dominance by the great powers, Britain, the United States, Russia and China.

There has been considerable criticism over the delays in the provision by UNRRA of essential foodstuffs to territories in immediate need of the essentials of life. It can be assumed, however, that the immensity of the end of war in the Pacific will facilitate movement of requirements to the needy zones as the priority demand on shipping for war purposes is relaxed. The announcement from Washington at the weekend that 800,000 tons of relief supplies would be sent to China shortly after Japan surrenders is an indication of the will to follow that course.

The importance of UNRRA at this time cannot be overemphasized. If any type of stability is to be restored in those countries so recently released from oppression and those about to be freed, the question of feeding their people is vital. No nation can be expected to follow the same road toward normalcy if famine lies upon it. For the immediate future, the job is to see that nations which have been despoiled and impoverished gain subsistence at least. The expansion of the program will help to guarantee the welfare of all countries through freedom from want.

There are many problems to be overcome in both the shorter and longer objectives. Those are some of the new responsibilities Canada shares through its elevation to membership in the central governing council.

## TOP PRIORITY IN HUSH-HUSH

MORE AND MORE COMMUNITIES will claim to be the birthplace of the atomic bomb. The real birth takes place, apparently, in pitchblende. Immense quantities have to be transported to localities which can furnish vast quantities of water to create huge quantities of electricity, to produce small quantities of uranium, which is then transported elsewhere to be broken down to molecules and split into atoms. In the present instance, Hanford, Wash., about 300 miles from the mouth of the Columbia River in the vicinity of the Grand Coulee dam, seems to have produced the uranium.

Two or more years ago commercial travelers out of Seattle and other Pacific coast cities, when they struck Wenatchee, heard about the vast construction work going on around Hanford. It was said the Coleman, Dupont firm; largest chemical corporation in the United States, was building a huge plant for the U.S. government in connection with the manufacture of explosives, plastics, or extraction of nitrogen from the air. It had top priority of the hush-hush group.

Thus Hanford, or Richland, or White Bluffs, Wash., may lay claim to fame. But as the Columbia River rises in Windermere, B.C., and derives its powers from a host of streams draining both the Okanagan and Kootenay areas, these, as well as the pitchblende deposits of Athabasca Lake, may earn equal fame as the beginning and the end of man. Too long have the Tigris and Euphrates claimed the garden of Eden as their chief product. It might be suggested that the geologists, archaeologists, anthropologists, and physiologists do a little research work along the Athabasca and Columbia Rivers.

## EVACUATION OF IRAN BEGUN

SURPRISE WAS EXPRESSED AFTER the publication of the Potsdam proceedings that they contained no reference to "one of the most critical questions" between the British and Russians—relations with Teheran, the political capital of Iran. The government at Teheran had demanded that Russian and British troops evacuate Iran in accordance with the agreement reached at the time of occupation—an arrangement to provide adequate guardianship for the lines of communication from the Persian Gulf to the Caspian Sea in order to supply the Russians. The troops were to be evacuated "six months after the defeat of Germany."

Three months after the subjugation of Hitler's Reich the guardian troops are being evacuated. Despite all attempts to create an "incident" out of the question, the Russians and British—most of the American personnel, it is understood, left some time ago—seem to have agreed on the points of agreement—what the national interests demand—than upon those sectional differences, important though many of them are, upon which the conference of 1941 came to such an ignominious end. All the matters discussed at Ottawa last week are and will remain of special concern to all Canadians. An agreement is essential to the future economic and social progress of the whole.

## NO LIFE FOR A FUEHRER

HITLER IS REPORTED TO BE ALIVE in Argentina, alive with plenty of money, but in the cold, empty, friendless stretches of Patagonia. Alive with Eva Braun, but without the hilling crowds, the adulation, even the remnants of a faithful, fanatical circle. Alive with a mad brain still spinning mad dreams, but with the sane knowledge that he is searched for, and that once he raises his voice or shows his face, he is doomed. We are not at all convinced by this latest Hitler rumor. But if he is alive, and under the circumstances described, he must be having what is, for him, a generous and merited foretaste of Hades.

## Labor's Big Four

In the light of public interest arising from Britain's recent political change, the experience and records of the major leaders of the Labor Party assume new significance. The respective backgrounds of the Big Four are indicated in the following brief biographies of the Prime Minister and three of his colleagues.

CLEMENT ATTLEE, 62, Prime Minister, First Lord of the Treasury and Minister of Defence, a solicitor's son, went to Haileybury and Oxford; reading modern history. He was called to the bar in 1905, then interest in social conditions drove him to live and work in London's East End, where he became, in 1910, Secretary of Toynebee Hall, the famous university "settlement" and educational centre. From 1913 to 1923 he lectured in social science at the London School of Economics, apart from war service at Gallipoli and in Mesopotamia (he was severely wounded) and France. Returning to the East End, he became, from 1922 on, Labor M.P. for Limehouse. For the following two years he was parliamentary private secretary to Mr. Ramsay MacDonald and was Under-Secretary for War in the first Labor government in 1924. In 1927 he visited India as a member of the India Statutory Commission. In the second Labor government he was successively Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster in 1930-1931, and Postmaster-General in 1931. In 1931 he was deputy leader of the Labor Party and became leader of the party in 1935 in succession to Mr. Lansbury. When Mr. Churchill formed the Coalition government in 1940, he became Lord Privy Seal and Deputy Leader of the House of Commons; in 1942 Dominions Secretary, and Deputy Premier; in 1943 Lord President of the Council. He was made a Companion of Honor in the Dissolution Honors of 1945.

HERBERT MORRISON, 57, Lord President of the Council and Leader of the House of Commons, son of a London policeman; was successively errand boy, shop assistant and telephone operator. In the evenings he studied municipal government; he joined the Social Democratic Federation, and later the Independent Labor Party of whose organ, The Daily Citizen, he became, in 1913, the deputy circulation manager. From 1920-21 he was Mayor of Hackney (a northeast London borough). In 1923 he was elected Labor M.P. for South Hackney, which he represented in 1923, 1924, and 1929, 1931, and in 1935-1945. Meanwhile, in 1922 he became a member of the London County Council, as whose leader, from 1938 to 1940 he was notable for sponsoring many civic improvement schemes, including the famous "Green Belt" plan. In the MacDonald government of 1929-1931, as Minister of Transport, he was responsible for transforming the London Transport Companies into a public corporation. He was secretary of the London Labor Party from 1915 to 1930, and elected chairman of the National Labor Party in 1928. In 1940 he became Minister of Supply in the Coalition government; later in the year he became Home Secretary and Minister of Home Security, being largely concerned with the organization of civil defence. In 1942 he entered the War Cabinet, where he added to his interests those of postwar reconstruction at home and abroad. As chairman of the Labor Party election campaign committee, he took a prominent part in drafting its program.

ERNEST BEVIN, 64, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, was a farm boy, then employed in a Bristol restaurant and as tradesmen's delivery vanman. He was early associated with the trade union movement, organizing the delivery men, carters and dock workers of the west of England and the Channel ports. He rose from branch secretary to national organizer and assistant secretary of the Dock, Wharf, Riverside and General Workers Union (he was nicknamed "The Dockers' K.C."). In 1922 he was appointed secretary of the newly-formed Transport and General Workers' Union (a post he held till 1940), which amalgamated nearly 40 unions and now has a membership of 800,000. In 1937 he became chairman of the general council of the Trades Union Congress. In view of his organizing ability, Mr. Churchill in 1940 made Mr. Bevin Minister of Labor and National Service with responsibility for the demobilization scheme. At war cabinet meetings he played an important part in the discussions on foreign affairs.

SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS, 56, President of the Board of Trade, son of Lord Parmoor, was educated at Winchester and London University, where he studied Science. In 1923 he was called to the Bar, where he has achieved great eminence. In 1914, he was an ambulance driver for the Red Cross, and in 1915, assistant superintendent of an explosives factory. He joined the Labor Party in 1924. In 1930 he was appointed Solicitor-General by Mr. Ramsay MacDonald. Opposed to non-intervention in Spain, and the Munich settlement, he was associated with two "popular front" movements, for which unauthorized association he was expelled from the Labor Party. When war broke out he gave up his legal practice and offered his services to the government. From 1940 to 1942 he was Ambassador to Russia, returning to become Lord Privy Seal and Leader of the House of Commons, and in March, 1942, going on his famous mission to India. Later in 1942 he became the Minister of Aircraft Production. He was readmitted to the Labor Party in February, 1945.

Now that the Palace Sans Souci in Potsdam has seen the last of the "Big Three" conferences and "What is to be done with Germany?" has presumably been thoroughly determined, we understand that the name Sans Souci is being changed to Hans Soonsee.

## INTERNATIONAL SCENE

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press Foreign Affairs Analyst

Japan's delay in replying to the terms of capitulation has been more a matter of exasperation than anxiety for the Allies.

When the Tokyo government last Friday offered surrender if the Mikado could remain on his throne, the country already was beaten to its knees and it remained only for the Allies to administer the coup de grace. This meant that the Mikado's ministers had tossed the towel into the ring, thus admitting defeat.

So, even if by some chance the war lords decided to continue the hopeless struggle—it was clear that the mighty Allied war machine would crush Japan soon—and it would mean a terrible death for the barbaric aggressors of the Pacific.

As a gesture of mercy we suspended further operations with the atomic bomb pending the exchange of messages regarding surrender. And who of the militarists, either of Japan or of Germany, would have done as much, had they been on the winning side?

However, the Allies weren't

## Letters To The Editor

### GORGE PARK PLAYGROUND

May we, through your columns, extend our sincere thanks to all persons who assisted in any way with the Gorge Park playground; especially the mothers who sent in cash donations and materials. Our thanks, also, to you and the members of your staff for the personal interest you have taken in our project. And last, but not least, our thanks to the children themselves, for without their grand co-operation and enthusiasm there would have been nothing accomplished.

(MRS.) ROBERTA BALLANTYNE and  
(MRS.) ETHEL BUHLIN.  
Co-conveners, Gorge Park Playground Committee.

### 'BREWERS' DIGEST

I have just read the report of Bishop Sexton's sermon at the Cathedral the other Sunday evening regarding the necessary change in our liquor laws. It can all be summed up in a sentence or two—make it easy and attractive and decent for our people to drink. What words from the bishop of a great church!

There seems to be little appreciation of the dangers of such a proceeding, nor yet an awareness of the subtlety and strength of the interests into whose hands he is playing. The "Brewers' Digest" would certainly welcome his suggestions, but that would not be complimentary to him. Listen to what they have to say in an issue in 1941: "One of the finest things that could have happened to the brewing industry was the insistence by high ranking officers to make beer available at army camps." "Here is a chance for brewers to cultivate a taste for beer in millions of

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foolish enough to stay their hands with other operations. There was no intention of giving the enemy a respite to pull himself together for another stand.

Meantime, the rampaging Russians continued to tear into Manchuria, and at the same time, according to the Tokyo radio, launched a new offensive from Outer Mongolia, across Inner Mongolia, toward the Yellow Sea south of Manchuria.

Should the Red army drive through to the Yellow Sea it would sever communications between the Japanese armies in Manchuria and those in northern China. This would be particularly disastrous for the Japs in China proper. If the war should continue, because Manchuria is the main manufacturing centre and supply base for all that area.

The Japanese have their crack Kwantung army of some 750,000 men in Manchuria, and about 650,000 more troops in northern China proper. Ultimately, of course, both these great forces will be prisoners of war, and one wonders whether they will be put to work to repair devastation in China, just as German prisoners are to be employed in Russia and other European countries.

young men who will eventually constitute the largest beer consuming section of our population."

I have not found any great demand from the returned boys whom I have met for the convenience of having beer served with food in our restaurants. Instead of seeking to throw temptation around our youth, our leaders would be better occupied in seeking to promote sobriety. W. W. McPHERSON.  
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### ON THIN ICE

Had Bishop Sexton lived in this province for 45 years under various government attempts to control the liquor traffic, doubtless his condemnation of the present control would have tempered his utterance from the pulpit on Aug. 5.

"What shall we drink?" sounds like an old phrase used by patrons entering an old-time barroom. Ingersoll and other atheists, years ago, were in the habit of picking the Bible to pieces by extracting a few words from a

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context, as was done by the Bishop. It seems strange that the subject matter under discussion by Jesus in Matthew 6 should not have had consideration. Verse 33 gives the answer. Granted for argument's sake that alcohol has some medicinal use for the human race, would the Bishop say that the wine brought forth at the wedding was alcoholic?


However, the Bishop has started something, but he is walking on very thin ice.  
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### Aldermen See One of B.C. Electric's New Buses



Members of the City Council and officials of the B.C. Electric during an inspection of the proposed new Fairfield-Gonzales bus route Saturday. Standing in the entrance to the bus is Mayor Percy George. From left to right: Alderman Ed. Williams, E. N. Horsey, general superintendent of the company; Ralph B. Mathews, assistant to the vice-president; Alderman T. W. C. Hawkins and Alderman W. H. Davies. In one of the 27-passenger buses which the company proposed for the route, the civic and company officials made a round trip, after which they were shown the new company transportation offices on the second floor of the B.C. Electric store at Douglas Street and Pandora Ave.

### Present Painting To Ship's Captain

More than 70 members of the Vancouver Island branch of the Canadian Artists Federation were present Saturday when Hon. Mark Kearley, president of the federation, presented to the captain of H.M.S. Hartland Point, an original water color of a scene in the Canadian Rockies. Work of J. W. G. Macdonald, the picture showed Mount Good Sir.

Mr. Macdonald's works are well known throughout Canada and some of his paintings hang in the National Art Gallery, Ottawa. Mr. Kearley said, expressing the hope that the painting would re-

mind the captain and his officers of Canada's Pacific coast.

### Pacesetters In Major Baseball

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Batting—Holmes, Boston, 369.  
Runs—Holmes, Boston, 96.  
Runs batted in—Olmo, Brooklyn, 93.  
Hits—Holmes, Boston, 165.  
Doubles—Holmes, Boston, 36.  
Triples—Olmo, Brooklyn, 13.  
Home runs—Holmes, Boston, 18.  
Stolen bases—Schoendienst, St. Louis, 21.  
Pitching—Passeau, Chicago, 134.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Batting—Cuccinello, Chicago, 325.  
Runs—Stirnweiss, New York, 71.  
Runs batted in—Etten, New York, 66.  
Hits—Stirnweiss, New York, 128.  
Doubles—McQuinn, St. Louis, 24.  
Triples—Stirnweiss, New York, 14.  
Home runs—Stephens, St. Louis, 16.  
Stolen bases—Myatt, Washington, 23.  
Pitching—Ferriss, Boston, 19.5.

### Nelson Winner In Spring Lake Golf

SPRING LAKE, N.J. (AP)—Golf king Byron Nelson of Toledo, Ohio, carried a one-under-par 71 Sunday for a total of 140 to take the pro round of the annual Spring Lake Golf and Country Club pro-member tourney, but lost the big-money bestball pro-member round to Herman Barron, Fenway pro, and club member Ed Buckley of Englewood.

Nelson, who carded a 68 in the first pro round Saturday, missed on the putts Sunday, to barely edge out Barron and Sammy Sneed of Hos Springs, Va., who scored 141 each.

### Gorge Pharmacy Gets Split With Yobou

Gorge Pharmacy and Yobou fastball nines broke even in the first two games of the best-of-three playoff for the lower island junior boys' championship Sunday. After Yobou had registered a thrilling 3 to 2 10-inning triumph, Gorge nine came back to score a 20 to 6 win in the second fixture.

Clubs will meet at Yobou next Sunday in the third and deciding game.

First game developed into a real pitching duel between Hanson of Yobou and Kaye of the drugmen. The former gave up 12 hits as compared to six by Kaye. After Yobou took a one-run lead in the sixth inning, Gorge tied it up with a single in the seventh. Yobou put over two runs in the 10th and held their opponents to a single run in the last half to win.

With Kaye again on the mound the Gorge team made a runaway of the second fixture.

### Andersson Beaten By Unknown Racer

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Lennart Strand, unheralded Swedish racer, won the Swedish 1,500 metre championship Sunday by defeating the famed Arne Andersson, one-time holder of the mile record, in the Stockholm Stadium.

Strand, who usually paces Gunder Haegg in his record-breaking attempts, was clocked in 3:47.3. The time was 4.3 seconds slower than Haegg's world mark of 3:43. Haegg confined himself to the 5,000 metre event and won easily in 14:29. The Malmo haberdasher also holds the universal standard for this distance at 13:58.2.

### Fred Wood Captures B.C. Duration Golf

VANCOUVER (CP)—Freddy Wood, professional at the Shaughnessy Heights Golf and Country Club here, Sunday won the B.C. duration open championship when he shot a 70-68-138 over the Peace-Foxglen club course.

Stan Leonard, recently returned from Toronto where he retained his Canadian professional golf title, was second with 140, carding a 73 in the morning round and a 67 in the afternoon. Jack Ellis of Vancouver won amateur honors with a 71-69-140. Frank Clarkson of Victoria carded 77-80-157.

### Bellingham Back In First Place

BELLINGHAM, Wash. (CP)—Bellingham surged back into first place in the Vancouver Senior League Sunday as Joe Farla blanked the Arrows 3 to 0 for his 12th mound triumph of the season.

Farla was tapped for six hits, one more than the Bells got off Jack Meister. Ed Henry's overthrow of second and Ty Hofeditz single gave the Bells two runs in the second and they picked up another in the seventh. Bruce Thirsk got the only extra-base hit—a double in the sixth.

### Boy Scouts At Young Lake Camp

During July more than 260 boy scouts attended Camp Barnard, Young Lake, Sooke, enjoying the camp built by their own efforts.

Swimming was held once a day and a large number of boys obtained swimmers' and rescuers' badges.

Daily inspection took place every morning with the boys in

full uniform and troop competition was keen. The activities consisted of woodcraft, hiking and mountain climbing, as well as games and swimming. A campfire and singsong was held each evening.

The boys did their own cooking and learned to cook good meals, several earning cooks', campers' and pioneer badges.

Groups were at the camp for 10 days each during the month. The first part of the camp was given over to training leaders in the art of campcraft and bushcraft. After the scout leaders'

camp came the cub leaders' camp, followed in turn by the boys' camps.

Cub activities were much along the lines of those of the scouts. In all, 20 city troops were represented at the camp under Field Commissioner Freeman King.

On Aug. 18 another camp will open and run until Aug. 31. Maj. J. Wise will be in charge.

This is the first year that Camp Barnard has been in operation.

### Back in Canada

Sgt. C. Watling, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Watling, 733 Herald Street, has arrived in Canada after an absence of five years. He left Victoria with the 1st Canadian Scottish, but saw active service with the Intelligence Corps in the Mediterranean theatre and northwest Europe. He was known here in connection with radio work and activities with young people's organizations.



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## 'The One-Girl U.S.O.' Visits Here

Anne Gaber of Santa Monica, described by the former R.A.F. "Patrician" as "the one-girl U.S.O." is in Victoria for a week's visit. She is staying with Mrs. A. L. Carruthers, 1258 St. Patrick Street.

Miss Gaber's two-piece blue grey outfit with its brass buttons and wedge cap is known as the United Nations uniform, and was presented to her by a southern California company for her work in entertaining servicemen. Her service ribbons worn on the jacket are the flags of the Big Four.

It is quite similar to the uniform she donned in 1941 when she volunteered with British War Reliefs southern California branch to raise funds for orphaned children in Great Britain. Honorary presidents were Rhonda Colman, Cary Grant and Alan Mowbray. Work of the organization included sending food, clothing and toys to the British Isles.

Then when the California branch closed down Miss Gaber decided to continue war work on her own, making her Santa Monica home the headquarters and using her own funds. Since then she has been busy arranging tours for servicemen who want to see the Hollywood studio, arranging for them to attend radio broadcasts and to see the sights of the film capital.

### ENTERTAINS BRITISHERS

Miss Gaber has concentrated on entertaining British servicemen, and during the time the R.A.F. was at Patricia Bay many of the airmen had her to thank for the tours they enjoyed while spending leave in the south. In addition she has sent hundreds of Christmas cards and parcels to servicemen in Australia, New Zealand, Canada and France. In her address book are the names of many servicemen overseas to whom she has written through the war years.

In appreciation for her work



Gracie Fields, famed British comedienne, posed for this picture with Anne Gaber, during a radio studio party at station KJL in Hollywood. She was a special guest at the first program of a series given by the English star.

the Patrician in the September, 1943, edition devoted a full page to her picture, terming her "The One-Girl U.S.O."

"They are fighting for freedom," she once told a newspaper editor, "and I want to do my part to help them."

Miss Gaber plans to continue her work as long as there are servicemen in uniform.

"There will be boys in the ser-

vice for quite a while yet," she says, "and the hospitals will be full for a long time."

A successful sale of men's second-hand clothing was held Saturday by Cowichan Chapter, I.O.D.E., proceeds for their war work. Mrs. J. G. Hannigan, regent, was in charge, assisted by Mrs. H. L. Whittaker, Mrs. H. R. Garrard, Mrs. G. More and other members.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Len Acres of Victoria are spending several days in Vancouver and are registered at the Hotel Vancouver.

Miss Helen Baird left Saturday to take up residence in Vancouver and is at present registered at the Hotel Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lindsay of Vancouver have come to Victoria to reside at 2796 Thompson Avenue.

Lieut. John W. Green, who has spent two months' leave at his home, 347 Foul Bay Road, has left for Halifax.

Mrs. Bertram Lunt of Winnipeg has arrived on the coast and will spend the next six months visiting in Vancouver and Victoria.

Misses Irene and Edith Nordin are spending their summer vacation at Comox, where they are visiting their parents, Capt. and Mrs. C. Nordin.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sim from West Vancouver are the guests of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Duncan Sim, Island Highway, Langford Lake.

Miss Viola Sands has returned to her home at 2460 Quadra Street, after a six weeks' vacation spent with relatives in Minneapolis, Minn., and Madison and Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. J. S. McGraw and baby son have left for their home in Winnipeg, by plane, after spending the summer months with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Milburn, Dalhousie Street.

Misses Mary and Barbara Moresby of Victoria are visiting in Vancouver, guests of Mrs. Olive Arrowsmith. Their brother, Gnr. Bill Moresby, R.C.A., accompanied them to the mainland, en route to Kingston after spending leave with his parents.

Capt. and Mrs. L. J. Coulcher and family left the city today for England. Capt. Coulcher, late of the B.C. Coast Regiment, R.C.A.F., will rejoin the Shell Oil Co. in China later. He spent four and a half years in the Canadian Army.

Master Philip Gilbert, 11, left today with Capt. and Mrs. L. J. Coulcher and family, for Montreal, en route to England. Philip came from England five years ago with his brother, Richard, now 14, to stay with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bayles, Island Highway, Langford. He attended Langford School and was a keen Cub. Richard attends Victoria High school and is remaining in Canada for the present.

Miss Peggy West, a bride-elect of this week, was honored Saturday afternoon when Miss K. Goodall entertained at her home, 821 Craigflower Road. The guest of honor was presented with a corsage bouquet of gardenias. Miss L. Benson and Miss D. Brownhill presided at the tea table. Those present were Mesdames A. Holmwood, P. Temple, B. Williamson, Misses D. Grossmith, E. Swain, I. Carroll, E. Nicholson, K. Kirkcaldy, Z. Morrow, R. Maguire and K. Johnson.

Honoring Mrs. George Harbison, from Los Angeles a happy evening was spent at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Edward Ord, 1114 Munro Street. The party which also coincided with Mrs. Harbison's wedding anniversary, was a reunion of ex-telephone operators. Tea was served from a table centred with a wedding cake, flanked with vases of blue hydrangeas and pink rosebuds. Guests were Mesdames W. Lenesty, A. J. Baines, F. Wilmore, R. Wood, J. Fields, J. Roe, K. Smythe, B. McIndoe and C. Reston.

On the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Exham 181 Beechwood Avenue, will be at home to their friends Wednesday afternoon and evening. Residents of Victoria since 1912, Mr. and Mrs. Exham have one son, Mr. Arthur Exham of Vancouver, who will be accompanied by his wife to Victoria for the celebration; two daughters, Mrs. F. Ernest Lee of Makaroff, Man. and LAW. Kathleen Exham, R.C.A.F. (W.D.) home on leave from Trenton, Ont. There are also four grandchildren, one of whom is FO. Dudley Lee, R.C.A.F.

Mrs. W. Zellinsky and Mrs. R. P. Sproule were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower honoring the latter's sister, Miss Doris Coulson, an August bride-elect. Winners of prizes in a "treasure trail" contest were Mrs. F. Pomeroy and Mrs. F. Burns. Other guests included Mesdames G. S. Coulson, O. Brown, M. Scroggs, J. Pomeroy, D. Fair, R. Johnson, R. Burns, B. Richardson, W. Freest, E. Gatehouse, C. Bennett, E. Payne, F. Wright, A. McKenzie, T. Hopley, H. Bromley, N. McClair, A. Coulson, M. Wing and the Misses Margaret Burns, Betty Richardson, Margaret Coulson, Ellen Prevost, Emma Roe, Simone Blakey, Dorothy Bradshaw, Helen and Betty Cow.

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## Ethel May Palmer Becomes a Bride

Capt. William Ellis played the wedding music at St. Matthias' Church Friday evening for the marriage ceremony of Ethel May, daughter of Arnold Palmer, 1638 Hollywood Crescent, and the late Mrs. Palmer, and Allan Gordon McLean, formerly a sergeant with Royal Canadian Artillery, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McLean, 1122 Greenwood Avenue. Rev. K. L. Sandbrook officiated and Mrs. R. MacKay sang "A Day of Golden Promise" while the register was being signed.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white wedding gown styled with bodice of shirred satin, sweetheart neckline and long full skirt of silk net. Her finger tip veil, with embroidered border, fell from a net coronet trimmed with orange blossoms. A shower bouquet of Tallman roses, carnations and forget-me-nots, completed the ensemble.

As matron of honor, Mrs. D. A. Court of Vancouver, chose a turquoise blue gown. Mary Stuart headdress and bouquet of harmonizing summer flowers. The bridesmaid, Miss Ethel Radcliffe, wore a long yellow sheer frock with Mary Stuart headdress and carried matching gladioli. Little Barbara Palmer, niece of the bride, was flower girl in a dainty pink taffeta frock veiled in pink net. James Logie acted as groomsmen and Victor Palmer, brother of the bride, was usher.

A reception was held in the church hall, where Mrs. E. A. Kemp, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. E. B. McLean, assisted in receiving the guests.

The honeymoon will be spent up-island. For traveling Mrs. McLean wore a three-piece gabardine suit in soldier blue, with blue hat, white accessories, and a corsage bouquet of gardenias and sweetpeas. On their return the young couple will reside in Victoria.

## Legion Women Plan 'Welcome Party'

A welcome party primarily for servicemen's wives, is being planned by the Women's Auxiliaries to the Canadian Legion of Vancouver for Sept. 7, in the Britannia Branch clubrooms on Blanshard Street.

This affair is sponsored by auxiliaries from all points to acquaint wives, widows, sweethearts and brides of servicemen with the various activities of Legion women.

There will be a concert, lecture by Mrs. Dorothy McLennan, provincial secretary B.C. Women's Command of Canadian Legion, and refreshments.

Mrs. B. Deane-Freeman, president, Provincial Command of B.C. Women's Auxiliaries, is convening the affair.

Many Attraction At Jubilee W.A. Fete  
Latest fashions in furs and hats will be modeled at the tea and fashion show to be held Aug. 22, at the home of Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, 3125 Beach Drive, by the women's auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

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## Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pitzer, 1200 Reynolds Avenue, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Katherine Kay, to George Edwin Ferrero, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ferrero, Lady-smith, V.I. The wedding will take place Sept. 11, 1945, in the Metropolitan United Church at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Maas of Morwayne, Alberta, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Ruth Agnes, to FO. Thomas T. Novis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Novis, 1051 Topaz Avenue, Victoria. The wedding will take place in September.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Smethurst, Vancouver, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Hazel Eleanor, to Sgmn. Ross Irving Simms, R.C. S.S., only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Simms of Montreal. The wedding will take place at the Metropolitan United Church on Aug. 31, at 8.30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dash, 2151 Fair Street, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Shirley Doreen, to C.P.O. Murray Sinclair De Mone, R.C.N. V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. U. R. De Mone of Dartmouth, N.S. The wedding will take place Sept. 7, at Dartmouth, N.S.

Mrs. M. Fairfield of Point Grey, Vancouver, is spending some weeks at Langford.

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## To Resume Work On Ripple Rock

Drill barge which will bore the holes for blasting powder in Ripple Rock, Seymour Narrows, will move into position August 15 and operations will commence at 10 a.m. and it is expected all lines will be attached by 2 p.m. W. L. Stamford, agent, department of transport, has informed mariners.

During this period the Narrows will be closed to all shipping.

When at anchor the barge will show two red balls, one above the other in a vertical line, and during night time two red lights in a vertical line six feet apart. An electrically-operated fog bell will sound five strokes with two-second intervals every minute.

Mariners should not assume that the barge will be over the rock at all times, but will be in the vicinity.

In all, over \$700,000 has been spent by the federal government in its efforts to eliminate this marine hazard. When other attempts failed it was decided a year ago to endeavor to install overhead cables which would hold the barge in position so work on the drilling and boring of the rock could be carried out. Since additional funds have been granted by Ottawa, cables have been strung and this new stage in the operation is about to get underway.



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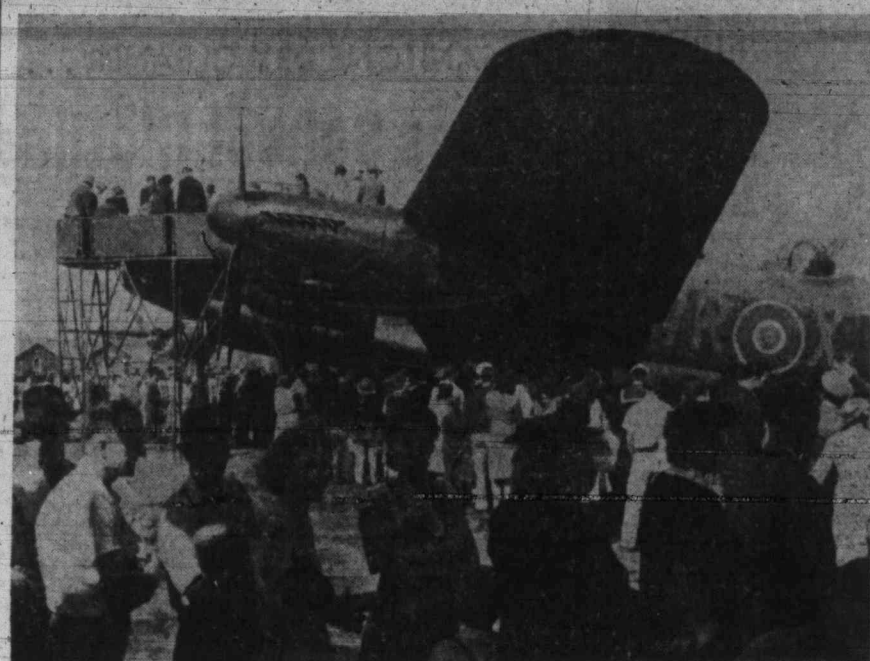
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## Victorians View Plane With Interest



An endless stream of Victorians filed past the nose of the Lancaster bomber, featured in a display to aid the R.C.A.F. Benevolent Fund at Pat Bay air station Saturday and Sunday. A platform 30 feet high was constructed around the nose of the plane where crew members, fresh from European combat experience and a trans-Atlantic hop home, sat ready to answer questions about the bomber from the Moose Squadron of the City of Kamloops.

Keen interest was displayed by 20,000 Victorians Saturday and Sunday as they trekked to Pat Bay Station to the display of aircraft being held in aid of the R.C.A.F. Benevolent Fund.

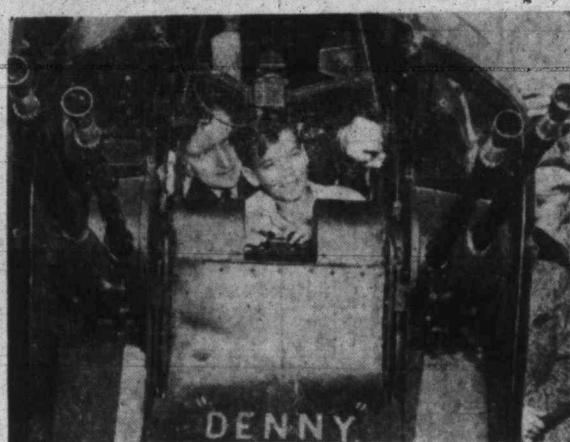
Autograph seekers were a legion and mid-upper gunner Flt. Sgt. R. E. Zavitz of Windsor, Ont., said he had an average of 300 requests for his autograph a day.

Victoria residents were anxious to know the role played by their sons and husbands in the operation of the aircraft. Flt. Lt. J. R. Price, observer, of Yorkton, Sask., said as he answered hundreds of questions. Flt. Lt. J. E. Short, A.F.C., pilot from Moose Jaw, Sask., and FO. R. E. Sargent, bomb aimer from Montreal, confirmed his opinion.

The seven-man crew who flew the Lancaster from the Moose Squadron of the City of Kamloops, came straight from combat duty to stage the Dominion-wide display.

Visitors to the air station had a first-hand view of Anson, Liberator, Mosquito, Harvard, Kittyhawk, Canoe, Expeditor and Hudson aircraft, which flanked the giant Lancaster in the centre of the display.

Feature of the Intelligence ex-



There wasn't much room for Allan Sinclair, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sinclair, 132 Cadillac Street, when he crawled into the rear gun turret of a Lancaster bomber with Flt. Sgt. R. E. Zavitz, mid-upper gunner of Windsor, Ont.

hibit was a Japanese balloon. Conducted tours also lead to an air sea rescue display, movies and midway.

Committee members included SL. W. A. Shilcock, Flt. Lt. L. J.

ing held during the month, when 19 members spent the day in Saanich on a photographic hike.

## More Than 2,000 At Eagles Picnic

With more than 2,000 in attendance the 46th annual picnic of the Victoria Aerie No. 12, Fraternal Order of Eagles, was held Sunday at Curlew Park.

During the afternoon the Drum and Bugle Corps gave a marching display.

A lengthy program of sports, including novelty events, was held the large number of entries requiring many heats for each event.

Worthy President J. A. Paine welcomed the members and guests, including 45 from Port Angeles Aerie.

Bro. M. O. Johnson of Port Angeles Aerie, thanked all Victoria Eagles for their hospitality and invited them to Port Angeles next Sunday to be present at their picnic.



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## First Fiddle Wins \$50,000 Handicap

BOSTON (AP)—Returning to the scene of his greatest triumph, Mrs. Edward Mulrenan's grey six-year-old First Fiddle, repeated in decisive fashion in the 11th running of the \$50,000 Massachusetts Handicap Saturday before a 35,635 crowd at Suffolk Downs.

First Fiddle, an easy victor at a long price in last year's running, closed as the 4 to 5 favorite. Jockey Johnny Longden, formerly of Taber, Alta., rode him as he did in 1944.

## THIS WAR—FOUR YEARS AGO

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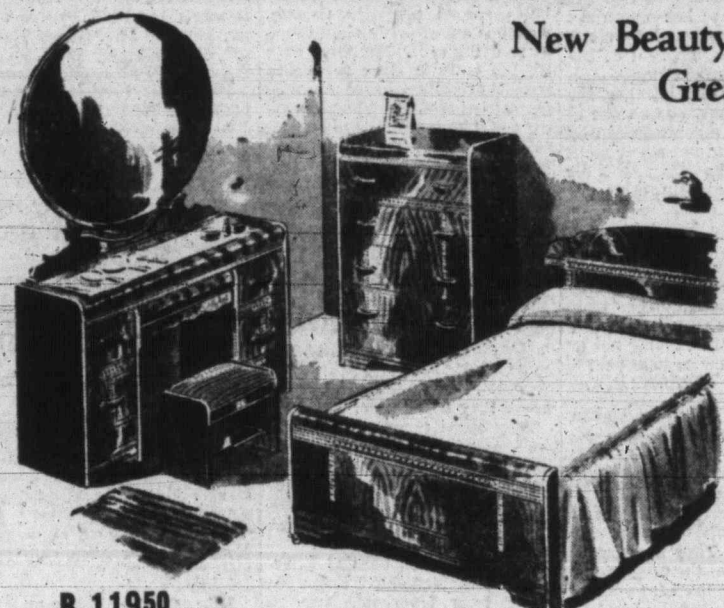
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## 31st Veterans At Goldstream Picnic

"Old Soldier's never die they simply play away" was the theme song for the large gathering of the 31st Battalion Association Sunday at the annual picnic at Pinlayson Flats, Goldstream, when many veterans of this war were guests of the veterans of the previous war.

On arrival in the morning everything had been previously arranged by T. Baldwin who had the fires going and the tables set up, the association supplying tea, coffee and ham to all.

Martin Dawson immediately started a quilt competition which kept everybody interested most of the day, and proved he was no mean quilt thrower by winning the competition with Bert Atkinson taking second place.

A glass jar containing 871 beans proved a good guessing contest which was won by Mrs. Harrison with a guess of 892 with Mrs. W. H. Wells second with a guess of 813.

Mrs. M. W. Dawson, president of the Women's Auxiliary, thanked the association on behalf of the ladies.

## Due Home Shortly

Flt. Lt. Joe Ray of Duncan, veteran of 66 operational flights over Europe, Egypt, Italy and in the Atlantic Ferry Command, arrived in Canada Sunday aboard

the liner Pasteur. He wears six ribbons including the D.F.C. and the American Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster.

## Victoria Airman Arrives On Pasteur

Wing Cmdr. Ernest Peter Heybroek arrived in Canada Sunday aboard the 23,000-ton troopship

Pasteur with some 2,500 other repatriated servicemen. Commanding officer of No. 410 Squadron, Heybroek is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Heybroek, 530 Lotbiniere Avenue and has been with the R.C.A.F. since October, 1940.

Born aboard ship en route from San Francisco to Manila, he received his early education in the Philippines, and on coming to Canada continued his studies at

Trinity College School, Port Hope, Ont., and graduated from McGill University Overseas in 1941. He has been with the Fighter Command.

In August, 1943, Heybroek married the former June Davis, a section officer in the R.A.F.

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## Humphries Scores Upset

Fine summer weather and enthusiastic galleries welcomed the inaugural of Victoria's first lawn tennis championship since the beginning of the war. After favorites had advanced in 34 early round matches played on Saturday, galleries were treated to some really fine exhibitions of the popular net pastime, as the competition became tougher in the 30 matches run off Sunday.

Big upset in the men's open singles came when aggressive Dennis Humphries knocked out highly favored Ralph Linton second seeded player in straight sets 6-6, 6-2. Meanwhile, first seeded Carl Brand advanced to the quarter final round with straight set wins over Matson and Lucas, respectively. Other seeded players advanced comfortably with the exception of Jack Millegre, seventh seed, who was sent to the sidelines by Appleby, and eighth seeded Wilmet Browne Cave, who was hard pressed to win a three-set match from Laidlaw.

The gallery received a first class exhibition of men's doubles play when, behind the booming serve of Henry Bennett and steady hitting of Ralph Linton, this popular second seeded team came through with a rousing victory over Amyot and Laidlaw, hard hitting naval combination. After being within one game of defeat Bennett and Linton rallied to crack Amyot's serve at love in the 13th game of the third set and went on to win 6-6.

The longest set of the tournament occurred Sunday when Betty Dennison and Colin Lucas outlasted Bernie Millegre and Mrs. Webster in a 46 game first set to win 24-22, 6-0.

Play will continue this evening when Amyot tangles with Bennett in the feature men's singles match. Fight singles for men and women will also get under way.

## Results follow:

## MEN'S SINGLES

A. C. Brand beat H. T. Matson 6-2, 6-1.

R. Linton beat W. H. Brown 6-3, 6-2.

R. Sturberg beat R. Mitchell 6-3, 6-1.

W. Brown-Cave beat F. O. Laidlaw 6-1, 7-5, 6-0.

O. Amyot beat V. Martin 6-1, 6-0.

D. D. Campbell beat R. McNeil 6-1, 6-0.

J. Appleby beat J. Millegre 6-2, 6-0.

A. C. Brand beat G. Lucas 6-2, 6-2.

J. Appleby beat W. Dunbar 6-3, 6-2.

R. Sturberg beat R. Mitchell 6-3, 6-1.

J. A. McArthur beat B. Millegre 6-4, 6-2.

D. J. G. Humphries beat R. D. Linton 6-4, 6-2.

MINI'S SINGLES

Miss M. Stephens beat Miss R. Wharton 6-1, 6-0.

Miss M. Goodland beat Miss F. Lockley 6-3, 6-2.

Miss F. Lockley beat Miss Jean Mitchell 6-4, 6-3.

Miss B. Denison beat Mrs. J. Beardsmore 19-8, 6-4.

MEN'S DOUBLES

Pittsley and Christie beat Stipe and McNeil 6-2, 6-3.

Campbell and Humphries beat Merston and Pittsley 6-3, 6-2.

Mitchell and Wood beat Van Horne and Dunbar 6-2, 7-5.

Stipe and McNeil beat Brinacombe and Hunter 7-5, 6-3.

Bennett and Linton beat Amyot and Laidlaw 3-6, 6-3, 6-0.

D. Millegre and Lucas beat Flavell and Westmacott 3-6, 7-5, 6-3.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Miss Mitchell and Denison beat Miss Merston and Anderson 6-3, 6-1.

MIXED DOUBLES

Miss Denison and Lucas beat Mrs. Webster and Millegre 24-22, 6-0.

Miss L. Robinson and Mrs. E. Pittsley beat Mrs. Millegre and Millegre 6-2, 6-1.

Miss Stephens and Brand beat Mrs. Fidler 6-3, 6-1.

Mrs. Ricks and Amyot beat Mrs. Pittsley and Pittsley 6-3, 6-1.

Mrs. Christie and Christie beat Mrs. Mitchell and Sturberg 6-3, 7-5.

TODAY'S PLAY

Mrs. J. Millegre and Mrs. J. Webster vs. Mrs. M. H. Brown and Mrs. E. Pittsley.

Mrs. P. Bradford and Bradford vs. Miss J. Jackson and Miss E. H. Lay.

Mrs. H. Lay and McCallum vs. Mrs. M. H. Lay and McCallum.

H. Matthews vs. O. Robbins.

R. T. Matson vs. Milward.

J. Millegre vs. D. J. G. Humphries.

K. Brinacombe vs. W. H. Brown.

A. Pittsley vs. O. King.

McCallum and Brand vs. Martin and Bradford.

Miss Sherman and Merston vs. Mrs. Le. Marston and Humphries.

Bennett vs. Amyot.

Miss L. Robinson vs. R. McDonald.

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## Baseball Standings

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	68	36	.654
St. Louis	63	44	.589
Brooklyn	61	44	.581
New York	57	50	.533
Pittsburgh	55	53	.509
Boston	49	59	.454
Cincinnati	43	65	.417
Philadelphia	28	78	.264

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	59	43	.578
Washington	57	45	.559
New York	52	47	.523
Chicago	53	50	.515
Cleveland	51	51	.500
Boston	51	53	.490
St. Louis	49	51	.490
Philadelphia	34	66	.340

## COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Portland	83	51	.619
Seattle	79	55	.590
Sacramento	71	66	.518
San Francisco	69	68	.504
Oakland	66	71	.482
San Diego	64	75	.460
Los Angeles	58	79	.423
Hollywood	56	81	.409

## Racing Results

## AT VANCOUVER

First race—Seven furlongs:

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## Look for Quick Return of Major Sport Attractions

WASHINGTON (CP) — An early return to normal for top sports attractions in the United States, curtailed or dropped during the war, appeared likely today, based on expectations of a quick Japanese surrender.

The world series in baseball, professional football's 13 non-championship games, and the big football-bowl games, all tentative because of transportation difficulties, seemingly will be played if the war's end comes soon.

Those events would be made possible by an indicated easing of the office of defence transportation's rigid restrictions on non-essential travel.

Bowling and boxing may be the first to resume full-scale operation.

Sgt. Joe Louis, heavyweight boxing champion, has not defended his title since he knocked out Alie Simon, March 27, 1942, but it is conceivable that the Brown Bomber will be back in Madison Square Garden by the time snow flies. The same thing is true of some other ring champions.

Bowling's big meets, the ABC, national duckpin and women's international, have not been held since 1942. All three probably will be held next season, if the Japanese quit promptly.

Plenty of time is ahead for the Indianapolis Speedway, goldfom's open and amateur championships, and the all-star major league baseball game, called off this season for the first time, to swing back into the picture next spring and summer.

Horse racing, now somewhat restricted, looks forward to normal fall and winter running, with transportation conditions eased, following victory.

## Wrestling Card Set for Saturday

Promoter Jim Downing today announced another all-star heavyweight wrestling card for Saturday night at the Royal Victoria Theatre, starting at 8:30. Last week's show was canceled out when two of the boys scheduled to appear in the double main event were not available.

In one half of the double main this Saturday Chief Thunderbird will grapple Dazzler Clark, 235-pound New Yorker who has been going over big in other northwest rings.

For the second feature bout, Downing has lined up Chief Little Wolf, colorful Indian heavyweight, against an opponent yet to be named.

One other bout will complete the card.

## J. R. Stone Wins

With a net score of 63, J. R. Stone won the Francis Trophy at the Uplands Golf Club Sunday. E. Shadbolt finished runnerup with 68, while B. Waude and G. H. Bevan tied for third, each with scores of 69.

C. K. Thomas, defending the trophy he had held for two years, finished in a tie for sixth position with a 71.

The competition attracted 37 entries.

## Rainiers Continue Surge

## Beat Portland Twice

Seattle's lurching Rainiers, almost woefully out of the running a week ago for the 1945 Coast League baseball flag, were back in the thick of the fight today after taking the first-place Portland Beavers over the hurdles five tilts out of six in a series to be concluded tonight.

The Rainiers pulled within four games of the pacesetters by sweeping a Sunday twin bill 6 to 2 and 5 to 2 after dropping Saturday's encounter 11 to 1.

San Francisco's Seals took a firm grip on fourth place three games in front of Oakland by beating the Acons three times over the week-end, copping Saturday's game 4 to 0 behind big Bob Joyce and grabbing both ends of yesterday's doubleheader 7 to 4 and 8 to 2.

San Diego moved within three games of the Oaks by shading the Sacramento Solons four out of seven, winning Saturday 4 to 3 and splitting Sunday's double feature 4 to 2 and 2 to 5.

Hollywood recouped after a bad start against the Los Angeles Angels to break even 4 to 4 in their series. The Stars took three straight during the week-end, slaughtering the Seraphs 18 to 0 Saturday and continuing yesterday 7 to 3 and 8 to 3 to draw within two games of seventh place.

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## Baseball Tonight

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Saturday's pair of city league ball games saw the league champion V.M.D. mark up its 18th victory



## Goering's Wife Says Hermann Got Over His Vanity; Condone Robberies

(This is the last of three articles by Curt Riess, Times foreign correspondent, based on an exclusive interview with Emmy Goering, wife of the No. 2 Nazi leader.

By CURT RIESS  
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**NEAR GERMAN CZECHOSLOVAK BORDER**—Frau Emmy Goering, erstwhile first lady of Germany, hopes that her husband will read or hear the story that she wants to divorce him.

"That will have been the first time since he was taken prisoner," she told me, "that he will have laughed heartily. He knows that I never will divorce him. He is my whole life. If he dies I don't think I'll survive. I won't commit suicide, but I just could not go on living."

I talked with Emmy Goering in an old castle overlooking a village of about 850 inhabitants, located between Bayreuth and the Czechoslovak border. The castle belonged formerly to Ritter von Eppenstein, a millionaire physician, who did not practice. He was a close friend of Hermann Goering's father, since the days when both were in Africa. Hermann grew up in the castle and attended school in the village.

### REMOVED FURNITURE

Mrs. von Eppenstein died in 1938 and bequeathed the castle to the Reichsmarshal. There Frau Emmy, no longer a prisoner of the occupying Americans, lives under a protective guard of U.S. soldiers. When the troops took the village the furniture was removed from the castle, partly in the mistaken belief that it hid stolen art, but also because it was needed to furnish divisional headquarters nearby.



Goering's much-publicized love of ornate uniforms and decorations died in later years, his wire reports. He no longer wore any of his dozens of uniforms except the grey Reichsmarshal dress, the blue Luftwaffe outfit, and summer whites.



Loot like this invaluable collection actually belonged to the State and were simply housed in Goering's castles, which were also State property, the No. 2 Nazi's wife says. She didn't think the millions he spent were excessive compensation. "Hermann worked exceedingly hard," he explains.

When it was decided to move Frau Emmy from Zell am See the castle here was completely unfurnished. Emmy, her eight-year-old daughter, Edda, her niece — a member of the family since 1934 — and the children's nurse had not even a bed. At the suggestion of American authorities villagers provided simple furnishings.

Here Emmy lives entirely cut off from the outside world. She has no radio and gets no newspapers.

### LIVES ON RATION

"We live entirely on our ration," she told me "by personal preference."

Most of the reports about food supplies brought here from Zell am See were exaggerated. She does have a stock of prewar American popular brand cigarettes, but she does not smoke and presumably is holding them in hope that Hermann will come back to enjoy them.

Her life here is in great contrast to the days when she lived with the man who had more estates, more cars more planes, more servants—and spent more money—than any other Nazi bigwig.

But that does not appear to worry her so much as her inability to visit Hermann — her fear that he will never be permitted to return. There can be no question that she sees through biased eyes the Nazi who, to most of the world, is halfway between monster and laughing stock.

I asked her about her husband's much publicized love of ornate uniforms and decorations. "It's true," she said, "that he was vain of them, but only in the beginning. In later years he wore only the grey Reichsmarshal's uniform, a blue one of the Luftwaffe, and in summer white ones. He had dozens of others but no longer wore them."

"He spoiled me unbelievably," she said of the husband who, it has been understood, married her only in compliance with Adolf Hitler's firm command. "He was always in fear that something might happen to me. When I went out he made me promise not to cross streets. He begged

me to give up horseback riding for fear I would be thrown off and hurt. When I swam, he was afraid I would drown."

I questioned her about the wholesale robberies of art objects, particularly, attributed to Goering, and about his prodigious spending. Frau Emmy showed an attitude that is extremely common among the Nazis.

### LOST HIS FORTUNE

"When Hermann had fled from Germany after the 1933 putsch he lost his entire fortune. So Hitler had an obligation to make reimbursement. That was what he did after 1933. Most of the moneys we received were given up by either the Fuehrer or the state. Besides, Hermann worked exceedingly hard. Don't you think he deserved compensation for that?" she asked.

She disagreed with my idea that the millions he spent were excessive compensation. "Most of the estates and palaces did not belong to us, but we just used them. They remained state property. Many of the pictures actually were bought for the state. Those pictures that really belonged to us were donated by states and cities."

The city of Cologne, for instance, gave her as a birthday present a Lukas Cranach painting. She professed to see nothing noteworthy in a gift of so great value, or in the fact that museums were robbed to make art gifts available.

Emmy said that when she arrived at this castle a few weeks ago she had 160,000 marks, but she learned that there were unpaid bills for remodeling and repairing the castle, and after paying them she was down to 60,000 marks.

She still has some jewelry, but Allied authorities felt that she could get along for the present without her fur coats. Although she still lives in considerable comfort, and under protective guard, otherwise American occupation authorities treat her as just another Nazi hausfrau.

A few days before I saw her the nearby village was searched for weapons. All residents were assembled, for the occasion, at the railroad station. Emmy was no exception. One of the villagers brought her a chair, but U.S. soldiers intervened. They did not want her to be built up as a sympathetic symbol of the Nazi regime.

Thus far she has not been permitted either to see or to communicate with her husband. She has asked permission for their daughter, Edda, to write to him, but it has not yet been granted.

So, in the absence of direct news, she is worried about Hermann. How is he standing imprisonment? How is he being treated? Is Robert, his valet, permitted to look after Hermann's creature comforts?

Frequently in our talk she would interject, "When Hermann comes back!" But I do not think that she really believes he will return in the near future. I think she is whistling in the dark.

### DOUBLING UP

The chorus girl was telling the other girls in the dressing-room all about her birthday party.

"You should have seen the cake," she told her companions. "It was marvellous. There were 17 candles on it—one for each year."

There was a disbelieving silence for a moment or two, then her best friend smiled. "Seventeen candles, eh?" she purred. "What did you do—burn them at both ends?"

## Funeral Held Today For Maria Lawson

Funeral of Miss Maria Lawson, dean of Western Canada's newspaperwomen, who passed away Friday, was held today in St. Barnabas' Church, with interment in Colwood Burial Park.

Miss Lawson, who was in her 93rd year, made her home at 3038 Albany Road, and leaves one brother, John Lawson, Champaign, Ill., and a sister, Miss Flora Lawson, Victoria.

Born in New London, Prince Edward Island, Dec. 15, 1852, Miss Lawson was the daughter of Henry Lawson, one-time school teacher and journalist. The Lawsons were United Empire Loyalists who had gone from New England to the Canadian Maritimes after the War of Independence, and on her mother's side she was descended from rugged Scotch stock.

Editor of the Children's Page of the Victoria Daily Colonist up to the time of her retirement into private life in 1934, Miss Lawson made her first experiments in writing when her father was editor of the Charlottetown Patriot.

Miss Lawson came to Victoria in 1890 with her family and taught at Girls' Central School for many years. She wrote a "History of Canada," which was used as a textbook in the schools for a number of years, and collaborated with Mrs. Henry Young in the writing of a "History and Geography of British Columbia."

She joined the staff of the Daily Colonist in 1906 and as a reporter was connected with the Local Council of Women, the Women's Canadian Club, I.O.D.E., W.C.T.U., Y.W.C.A., and many other groups.

The moon will be the object of study at the next meeting of the Astronomical Society's summer course Monday. Three telescopes will be set up on a rocky plateau at the home of H. D. Day, 1240 Tattersall Drive. The president, Dr. K. O. Wright, will direct the observing program, which will commence at 9.



PAUL HENREID, who has to fight "The Conspirators" practically single-handed, in the Warner Bros. film by that name which opens today at the York. Lovely Hedy Lamarr is co-starred.

## 'Okay, You Win, in a Blast'



## Full Day's Yachting At Cadboro Bay

Sunday's perfect sailing weather embraced a full day's activities at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club when three races took place at Cadboro Bay. In the forenoon the third of the B series was run off and in the afternoon a ladies' race was followed by a crew race.

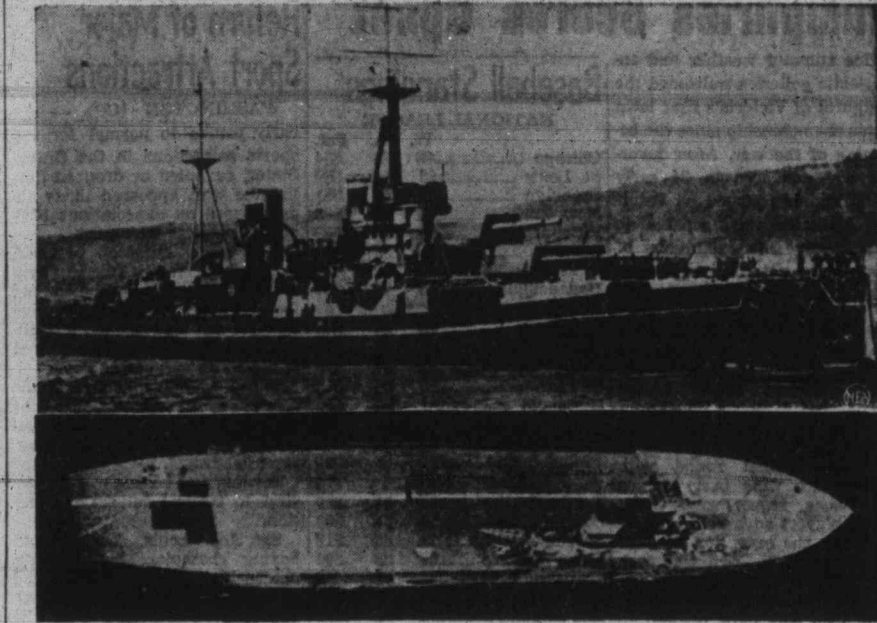
Morning's race results, starting at five minute intervals, for different class boats from 10.30 were as follows. Mintaka, W. Barrett, 12.03.30; Iolanthe, Pete Townshend, 12.08.15; Aquila, Wride, 12.08.30; dinghies: Kismet, H. Gann, 12.16.55; Penguin, W. Teller, 12.19.45; Teal, W. Wakeland, 12.23.05; snipes: Klatawa, H. Golby, 12.22.45; Restless, J. Moran, 12.23; Redskin, G. Nickells, 12.24.15; Stormy, J. Congdon, 12.25.15; Wee Joe, Miss Liston, 12.25.55; Pussyfoot, C. Irvine, 12.26.10; Dunrovin, G. Dyson, 12.40.30. P.D.Q. of Corbett was disqualified. X class: Arkysark, S. Waters, 12.24.30; Crest, G. Roberts, and Onoway of R. Anstey did not finish.

Course was from the club dolphin to the beach mark, across to Flower Island, over to Cattle Point, back to the beach mark, home and around again. A. Wright was officer of the day.

Ladies' race started at 3 and classes got underway at five minute intervals. Results follow: Mintaka, B. Blandy, 3.46.50; Aquila, Marjorie Wride, 3.50; Iolanthe, Mrs. W. Walsh 3.50.05; Cygnet, F. Townshend, 4.02; snipes: Restless, S. Natress, 4.03.58; Redskin, M. Walsh, 4.03.59; Klatawa, C. Humble, 4.04.20; Ishkoodah, J. Johnson, 4.07.16; Pussyfoot, S. Townshend, 4.08.58. X Class: Arkysark, M. Wood, 4.09.30; Poochy, H. Kerchner, 4.09.36, and Rhapody, S. Johnson, 4.09.39.

South south-east wind carried craft around the course from the clubhouse to Cattle Point, across to the beach mark, back to home

## Britain's 'Phantom Fleet' Fooled Nazis



For two years a decoy fleet of phony battlewagons, made up of obsolete warships and small merchantmen camouflaged by paint, canvas and plywood, hoaxed the Germans and drew air attacks away from big British naval bases at Scapa Flow and Firth of Forth. One dummy, the 33-year-old battleship Centurion, disguised as the 35,000-ton H.M.S. Anson, top picture, even sailed in a convoy around Cape Horn to Bombay. Another of the decoys was a 7,500-ton merchantman camouflaged into an imitation of the aircraft carrier Hermes, lower picture. The other merchant ships became imitations of the battleships Revenge and Resolution.

## QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

# TIMBERLANDS FOR SALE

By virtue of our appointment as Controllers, made by the Secretary of State of Canada, acting in his capacity as Custodian under or by virtue of the Revised Regulations Respecting Trading with the Enemy—(1943)—we are authorized to offer for sale by public tender the undermentioned timber licenses.

Twelve licenses situated north of Mosquito Lake on Moresby Island numbered 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 2394, 2395, 2604, 2606, 2607, 2608, 2609, 2610.

Eleven licenses situated at or near Selwyn Inlet on Moresby Island numbered 6177, 6178, 6183, 6184, 6202, 6203, 6212, 6213, 6214, 6215, 6218.

The above timber licenses cover an area in all of approximately 14,500 acres and are said to contain two hundred and seventy-five million feet of timber, of which about 30% is Spruce, 45% Hemlock, 20% Cedar and 5% Yellow Cedar, all of fair quality.

The controllers offer the said assets for sale and tender will be received by the Controllers at their office up to noon (Pacific Daylight Saving Time) the 27th day of September, 1945, upon the following terms and conditions:

- Tenders shall be made for the assets as a whole and must be made subject expressly, to the terms and conditions herein set out.
- A certified cheque to the order of the Controllers for ten per cent (10%) of the tender price must accompany each tender; the balance of the tender price to be payable to the Controllers on their acceptance of the tender or on terms acceptable to the Controllers; subject to the condition that should the tenderer not fulfill the terms of his offer and the conditions herein set out, the contract may be cancelled by the Controller and the amount deposited by the tenderer forfeited to the Controllers as liquidated damages. Cheques in respect of unaccepted bids will be returned in due course.
- The assets are offered for sale without any representation or warranty whatsoever on the part of the Controllers as to surveys, boundaries or area of the land, or as to quantity or quality of the assets, and while the general idea thereof may be obtained from this advertisement, and from information in the office of the Controllers, the sale shall be made subject to shortages and overages, the shortages to be at the charge of and the overages for the benefit of the successful tenderer.
- Neither the highest nor any tender will necessarily be accepted.
- The Purchaser shall pay all transfer dues and transfer taxes, if any, payable to the Crown.
- The envelope enclosing offers must be marked "Tender for Queen Charlotte Timberlands" and addressed as follows:

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Timber Holding Company  
Limited,  
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Vancouver, B.C.

No commission will be paid by the Controllers.

The Controllers believe the statements made in this advertisement to be correct, but assume no responsibility therefor, and intending purchasers should make such investigations as they deem necessary.

Inspection of the properties may be arranged on application to the office of the Controllers, P. S. Ross & Sons, 675 West Hastings Street, Vancouver, B.C. Arrangements may also be made to inspect cruise reports affecting the property.

DATED at Vancouver, B.C., this 20th day of July, 1945.

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Wait till you taste  
a zesty fish loaf  
made with  
**Heinz Condensed Vegetable Soup**



**FISH LOAF**  
1 cup baked cooked fish  
1/2 cup dry bread cubes  
2 tablespoons finely sliced green pepper  
1/2 cup finely sliced celery  
1 tablespoon finely sliced onion  
5 eggs, beaten  
1 1/2 cups Heinz Condensed Vegetable Soup, drained  
Meat, undrained  
3 green pepper rings  
1 hard-boiled egg, sliced  
Combine first seven ingredients. Grease a loaf pan and arrange green pepper rings in bottom. Place a slice of hard-boiled egg in the center of each. Pack loaf mixture in pan. Bake in a moderate oven (350°F.) for 45 to 60 minutes or until firm. Turn out on platter. Serve hot or chill and serve as a cold salad loaf. Serves 10 cold or 6 hot.

This recipe is taken from a 40-page booklet—"37 Ways to Use Heinz Condensed Soups"—just published. Ask your grocer for a FREE copy.



## Bunker Hill Captain Tells of Attack

Hit by two Jap suicide planes May 11 off Okinawa, the U.S. carrier Bunker Hill, now at Bremerton Navy Yards for repairs, will shortly be "better than ever," according to her commanding officer, Capt. G. A. Seitz, Rochester, N.Y., who with his wife and daughter left here today after a visit at the Empress Hotel.

"The men stood up very well to the attacks," he said. Four hours of flaming death killed 373 officers and ratings and wounded 264. "Superb action of the officers and men of the crew saved the ship. They were exceptionally cool and brave," he recalled a trifle grimly.

Three hours after the attack, firefighters were still waging a ship and tuck battle on the flaming decks. Tons of water poured on thousands of gallons of flaming oil, forced firefighters back against the bulkheads. Below decks, men died from heat and suffocation. The Bunker Hill went into a wide 70-degree turn, shifted the load of water across the ship and literally dumped the roaring inferno on her hangar deck into the sea.

Capt. Seitz refused any personal comment on Jap suicide attacks.

"Men with lips too burned to cheer rushed forward with their

hose," the navy related. New life breathed through the ship. Men lying on the blistering hot decks below knew, even as they drew their first breath of fresh air, that some miracle had saved them.

Capt. Seitz, who wears the golden wings of the U.S. Fleet Air Arm over his battle ribbons, has been with the navy since 1916. He graduated from Annapolis in 1919. In 1942 he was in North Africa in command of the fleet air arm there before taking over duties as chief of staff to Vice-Admiral P. M. K. Bellinger, U.S.N., commander, aircraft, on Atlantic patrol. He assumed command of the Bunker Hill last January.

### Parade Information

All organizations wishing to take part in the Victory Day parade were asked today to contact the V-Day committee at the City Hall as soon as possible. Capt. J. D. Spott, parade marshal, will be unable to allot positions unless he is advised by the organizations wishing to participate. The parade will move from Queens and Douglas at 2 in the afternoon with a service at 3 at Beacon Hill Park.

Ald. Ed. Williams is chairman of the city's committee.

Monthly meeting of the Victoria branch executive, Navy League of Canada, will be held tonight at 8 in Prince Robert House.

## Three Injured As Car Overtakes

Three people were in Royal Jubilee Hospital Sunday following a collision between two automobiles shortly before noon at Haultain and Cook Streets, in which one car with four occupants was overturned by the impact.

They were Mrs. Emily Dionne, hip injuries, who was released in the evening; Fred Dionne, head injuries, who, hospital authorities say, will be out today; and his wife Margaret Dionne, back injuries and a shaking up, who, the hospital said, would be all right in two or three days.

Police say the collision occurred at the intersection between a car driven south on Cook Street by Alice Knight, Blenkinsop Road, and a car driven west on Haultain Street by Louis Dionne, 1569 Foul Bay Road, whose car was overturned.

## Sirens to Herald Victory Over Japs

Japan's acceptance of Allied peace terms will be heralded by siren blasts as the siren network of Civilian Protection Corps goes into action throughout B.C. Ins. S. F. M. Moodie, B.C. police, has notified Mayor Percy E. George.

The victory signal will be three siren blasts, one minute steady; one minute wail, and one minute steady, with 15-second intervals. This victory note will be sounded following official notification by signals in code.

## Team Entertains Uganda Sailors

Victoria Girls' Drill Team entertained more than 1,000 sailors, including a large number from H.M.C.S. Uganda at H.M.C.S. Glenview, Saturday evening.

They gave a display of precision marching under floodlights on the parade ground. Members of the Drill Team concert party also appeared. Helen McNaught, Vicki Lyle and Beverly Fidler sang. Lona Marie Atfield gave a solo dance.

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## DeLong Leads Seniors With Lowest Score Yet

Playing in his third competition, Walter deLong, Tacoma, Wash., led the field of 189 among early scores in the 18-hole qualifying round of the 23rd annual tournament of the Seniors' Northwest Golf Association which opened today, with a score of 77.

DeLong, playing from a 17 handicap, went out in 41 and back in 36, par figures for the second nine. His net 60 was the lowest in the history of the tournament and made him practically a cinch to win the Whitney Cup presented by Joshua Green of Seattle.

Ralph Whaley, defending champion from Seattle, had a good chance to lift the medal honors, being only two over par through the 13th. After three-putting two holes, Whaley came through with a birdie device on the 13th.

Match play will open in the grand class championships tomorrow and continue through to the finals Friday. Annual association meeting will be held Wednesday at 5 in the clubhouse with the annual dinner set for Thursday evening at the Union Club.

### House Burglarized; Juveniles Arrested

Less than 12 hours after thieves had made a haul of over \$250 in money and valuables from the house of H. Schroyer, 509 Cornwell Street at 1:55 Sunday morning, city detectives arrested a group of juveniles.

Detective Inspector John Rogers said today. Five juveniles appeared in juvenile court today, charged with the theft.

Report of the theft was first received by city police at 1:55 Sunday morning. Detective F. Woodburn, investigating, found entry had been made through a bedroom window which was unlocked, and that the thieves had left by the rear door.

Missing was \$75 in cash, a further \$75 in cash in a box, \$5 in old American and Colonial coins, a .32 calibre rifle valued at \$12, a silver bracelet valued at \$25, eight pairs of new silk stockings valued at \$12, costume jewelry totaling \$38 in value, a bottle of perfume, and a war savings stamp book containing \$4 in stamps.

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Qualifying round scores up to 130 follow:

Walter deLong, Tacoma, 77; G. Y. Simpson, Victoria, 83; T. Pustlin, Spokane, 86; D. A. Macdonald, Victoria, 86; F. Burnaby, Seattle, 87; R. H. Lyon, Seattle, 87; F. B. Walker, Tacoma, 88; J. E. Goldring, Victoria, 90; R. D. McGilivray, Seattle, 91; J. I. Colwell, Seattle, 92; Camern Squires, Portland, 93; C. F. C. Fattullo, Spokane, 93; N. Addams, Victoria, 94; R. D. Merritt, Seattle, 94; W. H. Taylor, Ellensburg, 94; O. L. Price, Portland, 94; A. W. Trapp, Tacoma, 95; F. Bevington, Vancouver, 96; H. A. Rhodes, Seattle, 97; Guy Piece, Tacoma, 99; B. H. Anderson, Victoria, 91; H. W. Brodie, Vancouver, 103.

### Town Topics

Fifteen pairs of purebred White King pigeons were stolen from her home, Mrs. R. Taylor, 3038 Douglas Street, reported to city police.

Three nearby homes were endangered in a grass fire behind Saanich quarry Saturday afternoon. The fire burned for over an hour and a half but firemen managed to get it under control before flames reached house property.

Inquiring into the death of Thomas Anderson, Cedar Hill Crossroad, who collapsed and died on Caledonia Avenue Friday evening, Dr. E. C. Hart, city coroner, reported he found death due to natural causes.

City police report over \$25 damage done at the intersection of Cook and Haultain Streets at midnight, Saturday, in a collision between cars driven by E. Aaronson, 4118 Bay Street, and Lee Chee, 525 Cormorant Street.

Victoria's Rainbow I Sea Cadet corps returned Saturday afternoon from their two weeks' camp at Whylcliffe Park, near Vancouver. Up-Island cadets of the Comox-Courtenay and Nanaimo corps returned aboard the corvette H.M.C.S. Nanaimo.

Cpl. H. Claxton arrived at Vancouver Saturday after four and a half years overseas and was met by his wife and two sisters, Mrs. M. Hodgkinson, Vancouver, and Mrs. Lillian Behnen, Victoria. Cpl. Claxton and his wife will reside in James Bay.

Orders for possession were signed in three County Court chambers rent cases by Judges H. H. Shandley and C. J. Lennox today. Arrears of rent was the cause of the action in one case and expiration of the leases was involved in the other two.

Saturday afternoon 25 members of the Gyro Club boarded five power boats from Oak Bay boat-house for a trip to Discovery Island. On arrival, members swam, played baseball and other games and enjoyed a picnic supper.

Open to all members and ex-members of the Princess Pats, a reunion dinner and dance will be held at the Georgia Hotel, Vancouver, Friday. Wives and sweethearts are invited and anyone planning to go from Victoria is asked to telephone W. G. Macfarlane, E7101.

Representatives from Victoria, New Westminster, Nelson, Nanaimo and Vancouver attended a meeting of British Columbia provincials held at the Labor Temple, Vancouver, Sunday. Reports were presented and the general situation throughout the province was dealt with. Also considered were plans for the formation of the B.C. Conference of Typographical Unions. This matter will be dealt with at a later meeting.

City fire department reports three grass fires in short succession Saturday evening. Starting at 9:35, and falling within less than an hour, the fires were at Queens Avenue and Spring Road, Princess Avenue and Chambers Street, and Balmoral Road and Chambers Street, Chimney fires at 603 Burnside Road and at the Capital Iron and Metal Works were also reported. Sunday afternoon there was a grass fire at the west end of Johnson Street bridge.

No decision has been made to board up B.C. liquor stores for V-J Day or to take other precautions to protect the stores from raids, W. F. Kennedy, chairman of the Liquor Control Board, said today. Riot insurance is carried on all the stores, he said, but personally Mr. Kennedy intimated he was opposed to boarding up the stores. "It is just inviting trouble," he declared, "to show people you have no trust in them. I don't anticipate any trouble, except possibly in small isolated instances."

## Peace Will Bring Added Housing Difficulties

Declaration of final victory will bring great rejoicing to everyone, but to housing authorities in Victoria it will bring bigger headaches for some months to come because there will be an ever-increasing stream of veterans returning to establish permanent homes instead of coming just for 30 days' Pacific leave.

There are several factors which might serve to ease the situation, or to aggravate it.

The future of the shipyards is a large question-mark at the moment. V.M.D. has the large conversion job slated for the latter part of October which would keep the yards at full staff at least until the end of the year. However, there is a possibility that the end of the war might mean the cancellation of the contract.

Yarrows, working now at full strength on war contracts, could offer no conjectures as to the immediate future because no word has been received regarding these contracts, whether they will be continued or canceled. Officials admitted they had conversion plans for peace-time operation, but at this stage could give no intimation how many men would be employed.

There are 475 wartime houses now occupied by shipyard workers, and there are still long waiting lists from Yarrows, naval dockyards and V.M.D. No policy has been set yet local wartime housing officials said about occupancy of the houses should the shipyards staff be cut down and the workers no longer employed there.

It is believed by many that if the shipyards cut down staff there will be a large exodus of workers back to their original homes on the prairies and in eastern Canada.

Ald. Ed. Williams, manager of Victoria Housing Ltd., which is building 150 wartime houses for veterans, would hazard no guess as to when any of the houses would be ready for occupancy. "We are still waiting for materials," he said, "and expect them in early this week. We will put them up as speedily as men and materials are available."

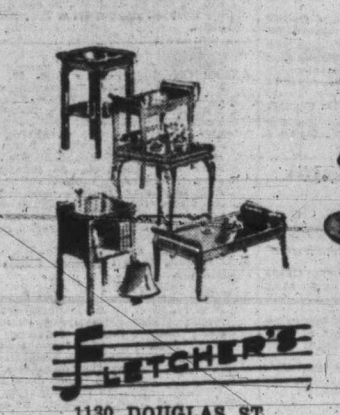
He said that excavations for the foundations would be started Wednesday.

Supervisors Conference

An area conference of Y.M.C.A. war service supervisors will be held Sept. 4 to 7 at Bowen Island. Approximately 60 supervisors from all areas and services in the Pacific Command are expected to attend. Supervisors have been asked to send in topics for the conference. Alan Hurst, area secretary will be chairman and J. W. Beaton, executive secretary for war services from the national council, Y.M.C.A., Toronto, is expected to be present. Mr. Beaton has just returned from a tour of "Y" operations in England and the continent.

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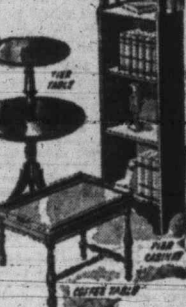
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### 'Son of Lassie' Opens at Capitol

The picture that had to be made, "Son of Lassie," successor to "Lassie Come Home," opens today at the Capitol Theatre. Proving once again that, for thrilling loyalty and tender poignancy, no story can match that of a faithful dog and a boy, Lassie, beautiful and talented collier, who became a star in that first picture, now continues his heart-warming adventures in the much demanded sequel, and once again it is filmed in gorgeous technicolor.

With the canine wonder this time topping another outstanding cast, are Peter Lawford and Donald Crisp, Lawford, youthful English actor who won his cinema spurs as Irene Dunne's son in "The White Cliffs of Dover," portrays the same character, now grown to young manhood, which was originated by Roddy McDowall in "Lassie Come Home." Crisp again plays his favorite role as the boy's Yorkshireman father.

Nigel Bruce, too, resumes his characterization of the English Duke of Rudling, while June Lockhart furnishes the romance as the Duke's granddaughter, grown into a beautiful young woman.

### Nazi Plans Exposed In Dominion Film

Exposing Germany's plans for eventual conquest of the world despite her defeats in two world wars, "The Master Race," coming to the Dominion Theatre tomorrow, brings to the screen a stirring and realistic story of the behind-the-scenes activities of the real leaders of Germany and what they are doing to bring about a third global conflict.

The picture, an Edward A. Golden production for RKO Radio, has its setting in Belgium, and its principal character is a fanatic German officer endeavoring to cause dissension among the inhabitants and the Allied troops. George Coulouris, Stanley Ridges and Osa Massen are featured.

### Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)  
**ATLAS**—"The Song of Bernadette," starring Jennifer Jones.  
**CADET**—Yvonne De Carlo in "Salome, Where She Danced."  
**CAPITOL**—"Son of Lassie," starring Peter Lawford.  
**DOMINION**—Tallulah Bankhead in "Catherine the Great."  
**OAK BAY-PLAZA**—"Frisco Sal," starring Susanna Foster and Turhan Bey.  
**RIO**—"Bowery to Broadway," starring Maria Montez.  
**YORK**—"The Conspirators," starring Hedy Lamarr and Paul Henreid.

### Maria Montez Stars At Rio Theatre

They've taken the sarong away from Maria Montez, but you ought to see her now!

Miss Montez has been whisked out of the fabled past of Arabian Nights and other mythical settings to this age of modernity to play a flesh-and-blood woman in attractive modish clothing.

The glamorous Maria is seen as an international stage star in Universal's musical cavalcade of show business, "Bowery to Broadway," now at the Rio Theatre. She is co-starred with Susanna Foster, Jack Oakie and Turhan Bey.

### Story of Dancer Booked By Cadet

Established as "the picture of the week," Walter Wanger's technicolor production, "Salome, Where She Danced," is now at the Cadet Theatre. Lauded for her vivid portrayal of the title role, Yvonne de Carlo, the widely publicized movie newcomer, is probably more competent than advance notices indicated. Few actresses have started their careers with such justifiable fanfare.

Rod Cameron, David Bruce, Walter Slezak, Albert Dekker and Marjorie Rambeau have leading parts in the lavish Universal film.

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AT OAK BAY: 7:15, 9:59

**AT BOTH THEATRES**  
**Plaza Oak Bay**

Doors: 11:30  
"Frisco Sal": 1:14, 3:38, 6:02, 8:26  
Doors: 7:00  
"Frisco Sal": 8:17

### Atlas Now Showing 'Song of Bernadette'

The biggest musical project in the history of 20th Century-Fox studios is the score for its forthcoming triumph, the filming of Franz Werfel's "The Song of Bernadette," which is currently at the Atlas Theatre.

"The Song of Bernadette," featuring Jennifer Jones in the title role, was directed by Henry King and produced by William Perleberg.

### Story of Intrigue On York Screen

Warner Bros. cinematic odyssey which started with "Casablanca" continues on its spine-tingling itinerary in "The Conspirators," an adventure-packed tale of hunter and hunted set against a backdrop of terror and treachery. Starring Hedy Lamarr and Paul Henreid, the film opens at the York Theatre today.

The Portuguese capital of Lisbon, transformed into a cauldron

of romance and intrigue by a world at war, where spies and counter-spies, Nazis and anti-Nazis, soldiers of fortune and cringing refugees from the abattoir that was occupied Europe rub elbows, forms the background for this absorbing mystery-romance.

Smooth and sinister continental spiders mixed up with Hedy Lamarr and Paul Henreid include Peter Lorre, Sydney Greenstreet, Victor Francon, Joseph Callela and Edward Clannell.

### Huge Indoor Scene For 'Frisco Sal'

The largest street setting completely under cover in the history of Universal studios was used by Producer-Director George Waggner for night scenes in "Frisco Sal," the Susanna Foster, Turhan Bey, Alan Curtis starring film now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres.

Two city blocks in length, with two additional half-blocks jogging off at each end, the setting is a faithful replica of San Francisco's notorious Pacific Street in the

Barbary Coast heyday of the late twenties.

Exteriors of many of the original famous night spots, signs, window displays, etc., have been reproduced—including The Moose, The Palace, Hap's Melodeon, Spider Kelley's, The Hippodrome, The Athalia, The Steam Schooner, The Bear, the Midway and Circo Hall.

"Frisco Sal" is full of the color and life typical of the period it portrays. The story of concerns the efforts of Susanna Foster, a New England choir singer, to trace the whereabouts of her long-lost brother, believed murdered.

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